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FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29, 1873.

I went into the Committee room yesterday, where Gen. Longstreet, Warmoth, Pinchback, et al, are being examined. The Committee appear to be doing thorough work and going for the facts. It is interesting to drop in among these gentlemen, who have made such a stir in the world of late, to see what they are saying for themselves; but the details are dry and the interest soon wears off, and one finds it irksome to drag through the tedious affair.

THE FRANKING PRIVILEGE

is abolished when the bill receives the President's signature, as no doubt it will. The House came manfully to the issue and passed the Senate amendment to its bill without any formidable opposition. It will now be necessary to provide for conveying of public messages, which requires a suitable appropriation, and then the world can soon judge whether the Postmaster General has not overstated the amount to be saved to the Government by the abolition of the Franking Privilege. I venture the prediction in advance, that the saving will not be over half what the anti-agitator.

THE MODOC WAR MATTER.

A proposition has emanated from the Oregon Republicans here for the appointment of a Peace Commission to proceed to Klamath and endeavor to settle the differences with the Modocs. This matter was suggested to Attorney General Williams, who arranged with Secretary Delano of the Interior Department that he should grant an interview to the Oregon delegation the next day—last Saturday. Headed by Gen. Applegate, they visited the Secretary early that morning and Gen. Applegate presented the facts in a very forcible manner. The Secretary expressed himself as much impressed with the suggestions made, and requested that memoranda of these be prepared and placed in his hands the Monday following. This was done, and Applegate gave further explanation to the Honorable Secretary, and received from him assurance that they met his approval. He had a copy prepared and immediately sent to the Secretary of War for his consideration, and assured them that the matter should receive due consideration at Cabinet meeting Tuesday, which was yesterday. I learn that it was so debated, but that the Cabinet proceedings were considered secret. Attorney General Williams informed Mr. Stilzel this morning that the Secretary will, in a few days, notify the gentlemen from Oregon of the conclusion arrived at.

NATURE OF THE SUGGESTIONS.

The propositions were, in effect, as follows:

That the Indian and Military are incompatible.

That different Indian tribes cannot be associated together except in a country originally claimed by neither; that the Klamaths and Modocs have been hereditary enemies as far back as tradition goes.

That the Klamaths still occupy a part of their original country and treat the Modocs as inferiors because they are required to leave their original homes.

That the Modocs have been assured that their proposition for a small reservation on Clear Lake shall be fairly considered, and they wait for an answer.

That the Modocs are desperate, and while they know that the Government can exterminate them they are determined to sell their lives as dearly as possible.

That a small portion of the cost of a war will secure a peace and provide bountifully for the Modocs.

That a man in whom they have confidence can secure a hearing and induce them to accept peace on just terms.

The Oregonians who make this appeal, close by recommending for the office of Peace Commissioner a gentleman well known to the Indians and in whom they have great confidence, whose appointment will receive the approbation of all who know him.

SWAMP LANDS IN OREGON.

Senator Kelly has received the following letter in answer to an inquiry concerning swamp lands in Oregon:

DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 25, 1873.

HON. JAS. K. KELLY, U. S. Senate—*Sir:* Referring to the affidavit of Mr. George Nurse in regard to the swampy character of certain lands in Oregon filed by you in this office, I have to say that no returns have been made to this office of swamp land selections made by the State authorities of Oregon. Two lists, containing each a small number of tracts, one in Marion county and the other in Washington county, came irregularly into this office without any accompanying evidence, and were returned to the Governor that they might take the proper course of being sent to the Surveyor General with the evidence of their swampy character, to be by him reported to this office, if said evidence was satisfactory.

Very respectfully your ob't serv't,
WILLIS DRUMMOND.

OREGON MATTERS.

Senator Corbett has, or will to-day, introduce bills establishing a post road from Portland via Cedar Mill, West Union and Glencoe to Greenville, in Washington county.

Also a bill providing for the survey of the mouth of the Coquille river with a view to the erection of a breakwater to protect the entrance to said river from the ocean.

Senator Corbett has received a letter from W. C. Johnson, calling attention to the serious difficulty that exists under the decisions of Judge Deady that transfers of land made before patents are received are void. Senator Corbett has seen the Commissioner of the General Land Office and urged the great importance of hastening the issue of Oregon patents, and has been informed that the Commissioner has not sufficient clerical force to do the work. It is probable that some provision will be made to provide more clerical labor and hasten the issue of patents for Oregon land claims.

NATIONAL THEATER BURNED.

Yesterday morning the town was startled by a fire alarm and the heavy clouds of smoke arose in the very busiest part of Pennsylvania Avenue. The National Theater was burned and considerable danger was threatened the whole vicinity. The House of Senator Corbett was on Thirteenth street, around the corner, and the promises were in great danger for a while as the clothes adjoining his were consumed. Oregonians and others were on hand and assisted to prepare the movable effects of the family for removal which was fortunately rendered unnecessary, as the flames were got under seasonable control.

Senator and Mrs. Corbett have cards out for a reception on Tuesday evening next and this was an extra reception thrown in with unnecessary warmth accompanying it. The burning of the theater will be a great deprivation to the pleasure seekers of Washington, as there is no other place suitable for genteel dramatic performances.

OREGONIANS.

Messrs. Applegate and Stilzel are here, and on Thursday, February 6th, the General gives his first lecture at Lincoln Hall, the best and most fashionable hall in the city. The subject chosen is "The Book of Job," on which he made a very interesting discourse at Salt Lake. The papers here have given him kindly notice.

We are becoming so numerous here now that we form a respectable gathering, in numbers as well as in "powerfulness," as Lish would say—and the elegant parlors where General Applegate entertains his friends, are made lively at times.

I met there on yesterday, W. J. Begg, Esq., formerly—before 1860—connected with the *Oregon Statesman*, who seems to be engaged in his natural vocation—literature. He has been here about three months.

Oregon affairs are not prominent at the present time, and the question as to who shall fill the Federal positions has not been seriously discussed. The civil service rule may be enforced and leave few changes or vacancies to be filled.

A Texas desperado was hung the other day, but managed to seize the rope in his teeth and keep from choking until the hanging party got out of sight, when he untied himself, and is now arranging for a series of lectures through the country.

THE TERRITORIES.

Two more burglaries are reported at Walla Walla. A very stale subject we admit.

Three chimney flues burning out in one night at Walla Walla kept the firemen rushing around quite lively.

The Cowlitz river is alive with smelt, a barrel full of which may be taken with a net in ten or fifteen minutes.

Samuel Brogden's barroom at Olympia, was robbed of money and clothing of the value of $100, a few nights ago.

Seattle coal in San Francisco at the agency has recently been reduced in price from $13 to $12 per ton by the cargo; Bellingham and Coos Bay coal sell at the same rate.

The Seattle *Intelligencer* says: On Wednesday of last week, the Board of Commissioners of King county, cancelled redeemed county scrip and bonds to the value of $9,278 56.

The Court House at Seattle contains but one room, and when witnesses in a case have to be separated during a trial, those not under examination have to stand out in the mud and rain, according to one of the local papers.

On Saturday morning last, the steamer *J. B. Libby*, which had been for some time on the ways at Seattle, undergoing most complete repairs, was again launched in fine style. She will at once resume her place on the route between this port and Bellingham Bay and Semiahmoo.

At the late term of the District Court at Seattle Judge Jacobs decided that the filing of any motion or demurrer to a complaint within the time allowed for an answer, precluded the plaintiff from taking a default in vacation, unless such motion or demurrer was absolutely frivolous.

A correspondent of the *Spirit of the West* writing from Dayton, W. T., says: "The factory building is fast assuming a business like appearance and we hope the time is not far off when the unused water powers within our reach will be properly occupied for manufacturing purposes."

The *Union* says: "Those who favor the annexation of Walla Walla county to Oregon are working with might and main to secure the passage of a law in accordance with the memorial passed at the last session of the Oregon Legislature, which asked Congress to annex us to Oregon. The Oregon memorial has been presented by Col. J. K. Kelly, but as yet no action has been taken."

Philip Ritz writing to the *Spirit of the West* says: "There is no reason at all why Walla Walla should not have two or more railroads in operation within eighteen months, which will assure us a population of 10,000, and put us on the high way to prosperity and make us as our location demands—the principal inland city of the north-west—the Chicago of the Pacific. We think Philip is rather sanguine but hope his assertions are true.

Touching the rumor that the financial embarrassment of the North Pacific Railroad Company in such that they are preparing to ask Congress for a guarantee of their bonds, the New York *Commercial Bulletin*, of the 15th ult., has the following: "We are authorised by the agents of the Northern Pacific road here to state that there is not a word of truth in the paragraph, both of its allegations being totally false."

The Olympia *Tribune* says: From Coquimbo, Peru, a ship, the name of which is not reported, but which we presume to be the *Niagara*, commanded by Captain Franquober, was to sail on Christmas day for Puget Sound to load with lumber for Valparaiso; from Iquiqui the Chilian ship *Ernana Alvarez* sailed for the Sound on the 15th of December. At Callao, December 20th, the Costa Rica ship *Liguria* arrived with a cargo of lumber from Port Gamble.

The Walla Walla *Statesman* of the 8th inst. has the following account of a very sad accident at that place: "On Thursday of last week Sister Celestine of the Catholic Convent, who was under medical treatment, took by mistake a dose of corrosive sublimate. All that medical science could do for her relief was brought into requisition, but after lingering in great agony down to Wednesday night, death put a period to her suffering. At the request of the Lady Superior of the Convent, Coroner Thibodo held an inquest on the remains. After hearing all the facts in the case, the jury returned a verdict of death from accidental poisoning." Deceased was aged about 24 years, and was one of the noble band of "Sisters of Charity," who consecrate their lives to nursing the sick and burying the dead.

Wm. B. Morris, Superintendent of the Northwestern Stage Company, in a communication to the Boise *Statesman*, says: "In view of this (the epidemic) arrangements are now in progress to meet our duties to the public as mail carriers, by the conveyance of a letter mail, and as much of the newspaper mail as we can command the facilities for, to and from Boise to Kelton, Winnemucca, the Columbia river and return, whenever compelled to draw off our stock from the routes operated by the Northwestern Stage Company. For the present, no passengers will be booked, nor any freight accepted for the overland road, but our special efforts will be directed toward maintaining an open communication for a letter mail with the Central Pacific Railway south and the Columbia river north.

Fortunes of the Presidents.

Washington left an estate worth nearly three hundred thousand dollars.

The elder Adams left a moderate fortune at his death.

Jefferson died comparatively poor. If Congress had not purchased his library at a price far above its value ($20,000) he would with difficulty have kept out of bankruptcy at the close of his life.

Madison saved his money and was comparatively rich. The fortune of his widow was increased by the purchase of his manuscript papers by Congress for $30,000.

James Monroe, the sixth President, died so poor that he was buried at the expense of his relatives, in a cemetery between Second and Third streets, near the Bowery, in New York City.

John Quincy Adams left about fifty thousand dollars, the result of industry, prudence, and a small inheritance. He was methodical and economical.

Andrew Jackson left a valuable estate known as the Hermitage, about 12 miles from Nashville, Tenn.

Martin Van Buren died rich. His estate was estimated at nearly $300,000.

James K. Polk left about $150,000.

John Tyler was a bankrupt when he became President. He husbanded his means while in office, and married a rich wife, and died wealthy in worldly fortune.

Zachary Taylor left about $150,000.

Millard Fillmore is a wealthy man.

Frank Pierce saved $50,000 during his term of service as President.

James Buchanan died a bachelor, and left an estate valued at $200,000 at the least.

Abraham Lincoln left about $75,000.

Johnson is reported to be worth about $50,000.—*Historical Record.*

If a man once gets his foot into the smallest little opening in the quagmire of the law, there is no knowing into what depths of mire he may work himself or whether he will ever get out alive. A suit was begun in Easton, Mass., in 1803, in which the matter in controversy was $1 56 worth of land and a few cords of wood. Out of this thirty different suits have grown, some of which are carried on at great expense and much bitterness of feeling.

By Overland Telegraph.

DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.

EASTERN DATES TO FEBRUARY 13.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Congressional.

The House appointed Dawes and Beck a committee to notify the President and Vice President of their election.

The Committee on Printing reported in favor of giving the reporting and publishing of the debates of Congress to W. J. Murtagh and J. Murtagh, of the Washington *Republican*.

The House proceeded with the consideration of the report of the Committee on mines.

A resolution by Wood to hail with pleasure the republican movement in Spain, was objected to, and not received.

More Revelations.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—A Washington special gives details of a story in circulation there to the effect that it has been discovered that the repeal at the last session of Congress of the tax on borrowed capital, was secured by the expenditure of several thousand dollars by one Clinton Colgate, an agent of the New York Stock Exchange. One of the specifications is the payment of a $10,000 fee to Judge Charles Sherman, of Ohio, for an argument before the Senate Finance Committee, and for securing the influence of his brother, Senator Sherman, and General Garfield, for the bill. Mr. Dawes has been looking into the matter, his attention having been called to it by a passage in a New York paper. Colgate claims to have left Judge Sherman's letter enclosing the bill for the amount of the fee.

The Pomeroy investigation will not begin until Saturday, when Senator Pork and [illegible] witnesses from Kansas, will be at Washington.

Senate Credit Mobilier.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The Senate Credit Mobilier Committee met this morning. Patterson and Cummings were absent. Logan appeared and said he had nothing to add to his testimony given before the House Committee. Logan was questioned about his transact

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FROM THE NATIONAL CAPITOL.

FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT

WASHINGTON Jan 29, 1873

I went into the Committee room yesterday, where Gen Longstreet Warmoth, Pinchback, et al, are being examined The Committee appear to be doing thorough work and going for the facts It is interesting to drop in among these gentlemen, who have made such a stir in the world of late to see what they are saying for themselves but the details are dry and the interest soon wears off, and one finds it irksome to drag through the tedious affair

THE FRANKING PRIVILEGE

is abolished when the bill receives the President s signature, as no doubt it will The House came manfully to the issue and passed the Senate amendment to its bill without any formidable opposition It will now be necessary to provide for conveying of public messages, which requires a suitable appropriation, and then the world can soon judge whether the Postmaster General has not overstated the amount to be saved to the Government by the abolition of the Franking Privilege I venture the prediction in advance, that the saving will not be over half what he anticipates

THE MODOC WAR MATTER

A proposition has emanated from the Oregon Republicans here for the appointment of a Peace Commission to proceed to Klamath and endeavor to settle the differences with the Modocs This matter was suggested to Attorney General Williams, who arranged with Secretary Delano of the Interior Department that he should grant an interview to the Oregon delegation the next day—last Saturday Headed by Gen Applegate, they visited the Secretary early that morning and Gen Applegate presented the facts in a very forcible manner The Secretary expressed himself as much impressed with the suggestions made, and requested that memoranda of them be prepared and placed in his hands the Monday following This was done, and Applegate gave further explanation to the Honorable Secretary, and received from him assurance that they not his approval. He had a copy prepared and immediately sent to the Secretary of War for his consideration, and assured them that the matter should receive due consideration at Cabinet meeting Tuesday, which was yesterday I learn that it was so debated, but that the Cabinet proceedings were considered secret Attorney General Williams informed Mr Stitzel this morning that the Secretary will, in a few days, notify the gentlemen from Oregon of the conclusion arrived at

NATURE OF THE SUGGESTIONS

The propositions were, in effect, as follows

That the Indian and Military are incompatible

That different Indian tribes cannot be associated together except in a country originally claimed by neither, that the Klamaths and Modocs have been hereditary enemies as far back as tradition goes

That the Klamaths still occupy a part of their original country and treat the Modocs as inferiors because they are required to leave their original homes.

That the Modocs have been assured that their proposition for a small reservation on Clear Lake shall be fairly considered, and they wait for an answer

That the Modocs are desperate, and while they know that the Government can exterminate them they are determined to sell their lives as dearly as possible.

That a small portion of the cost of a war will secure a peace and provide bountifully for the Modocs

That a man in whom they have confidence can secure a hearing and induce them to accept peace on just terms.

The Oregonians who make this appeal, close by recommending for the office of Peace Commissioner a gentleman well known to the Indians and in whom they have great confidence, whose appointment will receive the approbation of all who know him

SWAMP LANDS IN OREGON

Senator Kelly has received the following letter in answer to an inquiry concerning swamp lands in Oregon.

DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON, D C, Jan 25, 1873

HON JAS K KELLY, U S Senate—Sir Referring to the affidavit of Mr George Nurse in regard to the swampy character of certain lands in Oregon filed by you in this office, I have to say that no returns have been made to this office of swamp land selections made by the State authorities of Oregon Two lists, containing each a small number of tracts, one in Marion county and the other in Washington county, came irregularly into this office without any accompanying evidence, and were returned to the Governor that they might take the proper course of being sent to the Surveyor General with the evidence of their swampy character, to be by him reported to this office, if said evidence was satisfactory

Very respectfully your ob't serv't,
WILLIS DRUMMOND

OREGON MATTERS

Senator Corbett has, or will to day, introduce bills establishing a post road from Portland via Cedar Mill, West Union and Glennoe to Greenville, in Washington county

Also a bill providing for the survey of the mouth of the Coquille river with a view to the erection of a breakwater to protect the entrance to said river from the ocean

Senator Corbett has received a letter from W C Johnson, calling attention to the serious difficulty that exists under the decisions of Judge Deady that transfers of land made before patents are received are void Senator Corbett has seen the Commissioner of the General Land Office and urged the great importance of hastening the issue of Oregon patents, and has been informed that the Commissioner has not sufficient clerical force to do the work It is probable that some provision will be made to provide more clerical labor and hasten the issue of patents for Oregon land claims

NATIONAL THEATER BURNED

Yesterday morning the town was startled by a fire alarm and the heavy clouds of smoke arose in the very busiest part of Pennsylvania Avenue The National Theater was burned and considerable danger was threatened the whole vicinity The House of Senator Corbett was on Thirteenth street, around the corner, and the premises were in great danger for a while as the stables adjoining his were consumed Oregonians and others were on hand and assisted to prepare the movable effects of the family for removal which was fortunately rendered unnecessary, as the flames were got under reasonable control.

Senator and Mrs Corbett have cards out for a reception on Tuesday evening next and this was an extra reception thrown in with unnecessary warmth accompanying it The burning of the theater will be a great deprivation to the pleasure seekers of Washington, as there is no other place suitable for genteel dramatic performances

OREGONIANS

Messrs Applegate and Stutzel are here, and on Thursday, February 6th, the General gives his first lecture at Lincoln Hall, the best and most fashionable hall in the city The subject chosen is The Book of Job, on which he made a very interesting discourse at Salt Lake The papers here have given him kindly notice

We are becoming so numerous here now that we form a respectable gathering in numbers as well as in "powerfulness," as Lish would say—and the elegant parlors where General Applegate entertains his friends are made lively at times

I met there on yesterday, W J Beggs, Esq, formerly—before 1860—connected with the *Oregon Statesman*, who seems to be engaged in his natural vocation—literature He has been here about three months

Oregon affairs are not prominent at the present time, and the question as to who shall fill the Federal positions has not been seriously discussed The civil service rule may be enforced and leave few changes or vacancies to be filled

A Texas desperado was hung the other day, but managed to seize the rope in his teeth and keep from choking until the hanging party got out of sight, when he untied himself, and is now arranging for a series of lectures through the country.

THE TERRITORIES

Two more burglaries are reported at Walla Walla A very stale subject we admit

Three chimney fires burning out in one night at Walla Walla kept the firemen rushing around quite lively

The Cowlitz river is alive with smelt a barrel full of which may be taken with a net in ten or fifteen minutes

Samuel Brogden's barroom at Olympia, was robbed of money and clothing of the value of $100, a few nights ago

Seattle coal in San Francisco at the agency has recently been reduced in price from $13 to $12 per ton by the cargo, Bellingham and Cobs Bay coal sell at the same rate.

The Seattle *Intelligencer* says On Wednesday of last week the Board of Commissioners of King county, cancelled redeemed county scrip and bonds to the value of $9 278 56.

The Court House at Seattle contains but one room, and when witnesses in a case have to be separated during a trial, those not under examination have to stand out in the mud and rain, according to one of the local papers

On Saturday morning last, the steamer *J B Libby*, which had been for some time on the ways at Seattle, undergoing most complete repairs, was again launched in fine style She will at once resume her place on the route between this port and Bellingham Bay and Semiahmoo.

At the late term of the District Court at Seattle Judge Jacobs decided that the filing of any motion or demurrer to a complaint within the time allowed for an answer, precluded the plaintiff from taking a default in vacation, unless such motion or demurrer was absolutely frivolous

A correspondent of the *Spirit of the West* writing from Dayton, W T., says "The factory building is fast assuming a business like appearance and we hope the time is not far off when the unused water powers within our reach will be properly occupied for manufacturing purposes."

The *Union* says "Those who favor the annexation of Walla Walla county to Oregon are working with might and main to secure the passage of a law in accordance with the memorial passed at the last session of the Oregon Legislature, which asked Congress to annex us to Oregon The Oregon memorial has been presented by Col. J K Kelly, but as yet no action has been taken"

Philip Ritz writing to the *Spirit of the West* says "There is no reason at all why Walla Walla should not have two or more railroads in operation within eighteen months, which will secure us a population of 10,000, and put us on the high way to prosperity and make us as our location demands—the principal Inland city of the north west—the Chicago of the Pacific. We think Philip is rather sanguine but hope his assertions are true

Touching the rumor that the financial embarrassment of the North Pacific Railroad Company is such that they are preparing to ask Congress for a guarantee of their bonds, the New York *Commercial Bulletin*, of the 15th ult, has the following. "We are authorised by the agents of the Northern Pacific road here to state that there is not a word of truth in the paragraph, both of its allegations being totally false"

The Olympia *Tribune* says From Coquimbo, Peru, a ship, the name of which is not reported, but which we presume to be the *Niagara*, commanded by Captain Franquebar, was to sail on Christmas day for Puget Sound to load with lumber for Valparaiso, from Iquiqui the Chilian ship *Ermita Alvares* sailed for the Sound on the 15th of December. At Callao, December 20th, the Costa Rica ship *Laguna* arrived with a cargo of lumber from Port Gamble.

The Walla Walla *Statesman* of the 8th inst. has the following account of a very sad accident at that place "On Thursday of last week Sister Celestine of the Catholic Convent, who was under medical treatment, took by mistake a dose of corrosive sublimate. All that medical science could do for her relief was brought into requisition, but after lingering in great agony down to Wednesday night, death put a period to her suffering At the request of the Lady Superior of the Convent, Coroner Thibodo held an inquest on the remains After hearing all the facts in the case, the jury returned a verdict of death from accidental poisoning" Deceased was aged about 24 years, and was one of the noble band of "Sisters of Charity," who consecrate their lives to nursing the sick and burying the dead

Wm B. Morris, Superintendent of the Northwestern Stage Company, in a communication to the Boise *Statesman*, says "In view of this (the episcotic) arrangements are now in progress to meet our duties to the public as mail carriers, by the conveyance of a letter mail, and as much of the newspaper mail as we can command the facilities for, to and from Boise to Kelton, Winnemucca, the Columbia river and return, whenever compelled to draw off our stock from the routes operated by the Northwestern Stage Company. For the present, no passengers will be booked, nor any freight accepted for the over land road, but our special efforts will be directed toward maintaining an open communication for a letter mail with the Central Pacific Railway south and the Columbia river north.

Fortunes of the Presidents

Washington left an estate worth nearly three hundred thousand dollars

The elder Adams left a moderate fortune at his death

Jefferson died comparatively poor If Congress had not purchased his library at a price far above its value ($20,000) he would with difficulty have kept out of bankruptcy at the close of his life.

Madison saved his money and was comparatively rich The fortune of his widow was increased by the purchase of his manuscript papers by Congress for $30,000.

James Monroe, the sixth President, died so poor that he was buried at the expense of his relatives, in a cemetery between Second and Third streets, near the Bowery, in New York City.

John Quincy Adams left about fifty thousand dollars, the result of industry, prudence, and a small inheritance He was methodical and economical

Andrew Jackson left a valuable estate known as the Hermitage, about 12 miles from Nashville Tenn

Martin Van Buren died rich His estate was estimated at nearly $300 000

James K Polk left about $150,000

John Tyler was a bankrupt when he became President He husbanded his means while in office, and married a rich wife, and died wealthy in worldly fortune.

Zachary Taylor left about $150,000.

Millard Fillmore is a wealthy man

Frank Pierce saved $60 000 during his term of service as President

James Buchanan died a bachelor, and left an estate valued at $200,000 at the least

Abraham Lincoln left about $75,000

Johnson is reported to be worth about $50,000.—*Historical Record*

If a man once gets his foot into the smallest little opening in the quagmire of the law, there is no knowing into what depths of misery he may work himself or whether he will ever get out alive A suit was begun in Easton, Mass, in 1863, in which the matter in controversy was $1 50 worth of land and a few cords of wood. Out of this thirty different suits have grown, some of which are carried on at great expense and much bitterness of feeling.

By Overland Telegraph.

DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN

EASTERN DATES TO FEBRUARY 13.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Congressional

The House appointed Dawes and Bock a committee to notify the President and Vice President of their election

The Committee on Printing reported in favor of giving the reporting and publishing of the debates of Congress to W J Murtaugh and J Murtaugh, of the Washington *Republican*.

The House proceeded with the consideration of the report of the Committee on mines

A resolution by Wood to hall with pleasure the republican movement in Spain, was objected to, and not received

More Revelations.

WASHINGTON, Feb 13 —A Washington special gives details of a story in circulation there to the effect that it has been discovered that the repeal at the last session of Congress of the tax on borrowed capital was secured by the expenditure of several thousand dollars by one Clinton Colgate, an agent of the New York Stock Exchange One of the specifications is the payment of a $10 000 fee to Judge Charles Sherman of Ohio, for an argument before the Senate Finance Committee, and for securing the influence of his brother Senator Sherman, and General Garfield for the bill Mr Dawes has been looking into the matter his attention having been called to it by a passage in a New York paper Colgate claims to have Judge Sherman s letter enclosing the bill for the amount of the fee.

The Pomeroy investigation will not begin until Saturday, when Senator York and other witnesses from Kansas, will be at Washington

Senate Credit Mobilier

WASHINGTON, Feb 13.—The Senate Credit Mobilier Committee met this morning. Patterson and Cummings were absent Leget appeared and said he had nothing to add to his testimony given before the House Committee Logan was questioned about his transactions with Ames, but he insisted that he should be first told what the testimony was against him

Senator Harlan appeared and was asked about Durant s $10 000 contribution After discussion, it was decided to swear Harlan, whereupon he proceeded to detail the whole transaction.

Wilson's Credit Mobilier

Wilson's Committee to day hear additional testimony from Oakes Ames.

The Oracles on Spanish Matters

WASHINGTON Feb 13 —A special says the Spanish Minister says he does not think Spain will retrograde to a despotism The change in Government will not affect the status of Cuba He considers Amadeus honest and liberal At the State Department it is doubted if Amadeus will follow in case Rivero be the first President, although his qualifications are conceded

Counting the Vote

WASHINGTON, Feb, 12 —This being the day for counting the electoral votes for President and Vice President, the Senate and House of Representatives met at 1 P. M in joint session in the hall of the House

The Vice President announced that the votes of Arkansas and Louisiana were excluded, and declared that U S Grant, having received a majority of the electoral votes, was duly elected President for four years, and Henry Wilson Vice President for four years.

The Senate withdrew and the House adjourned.

Mr. Sumner's Health.

WASHINGTON, Feb 12 —It is stated that it is the opinion of the physician of Senator Sumner that if he can be induced to keep from excitement, and remain away from Congress for the remain

The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 14, 1873.

Comparative Rates.

In an article in the *Bulletin* of this city, Feb. 11th, was presented a table of comparative rates of freight on the railways in the Atlantic States and Oregon, which it seems to us must be inaccurate. The following is the table:

	Per ton per 100 miles.
Illinois Central	$1 00
Chicago & Rock Island	1 00
Burlington & Missouri	1 00
Hannibal and St. Jo	1 00
Oregon & California	1 40

These are given as the rates for general merchandise on the roads named.

We present below a table of the average rates on a number of roads in the east and west, according to the New York *Mercantile Journal*, which differ so widely from those of the *Bulletin* that we can hardly think it possible that both can be correct, although referring to different lines of road:

	Per ton 100 miles.
Hudson and Albany	$2 10
New York Central	1 75
Erie	1 40
Lake Shore & Great Western	1 27
Michigan Central, Fort Wayne & Chicago	1 46
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	2 40
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific	2 61
Union Pacific	2 70

Here we have no rate higher than $2 70 per ton for the distance of 100 miles, and but one road, the Union Pacific charging as much as that. The *Bulletin*'s figures on the Oregon and California road are correct; but we cannot conceive how there could be so wide a difference upon roads in the Atlantic States. A difference between tariffs ranging from $1 27 to $2 70, and those ranging from $10 to $11 upon lines of road in the same region of country, and in some instances competing for the same trade, is incomprehensible. But for corroborating evidence which we have from other sources, we might be inclined to doubt our own figures upon this subject, though the *Mercantile Journal*, from which they are compiled, is one of the most reliable in the country upon such matters.

In the Washington *Chronicle* of January 20, there is a most thorough and exhaustive examination of the question of the capacity of railways to furnish cheap transportation, and the rates there stated as the minimum tariff that railways can afford to carry for, are far below the lowest rates given in our table.

[illegible] as a practical demonstration, near home, we may add that a prominent mercantile house doing business in this city, and having a large amount of goods brought direct from New York by rail, now pay on the line [illegible] New York to Chicago from $2 to $2 50 per ton for 100 miles. And this freight is of the highest classes on the tariff, and the tariff is for winter rates, which are known to be [illegible] those of other seasons of the year. A reduction of these rates is announced to take place in the spring. So we take it our table [illegible] gives the Eastern tariffs quite high [illegible]

Where did the mantle of the Great Commoner fall? Upon whose shoulders? We have accustomed ourselves to believe that the [illegible] of the Government, so far as the House of Congress could control them, were moulded and moulded by the master-hand [illegible]. Or if not, by Benjamin, then [illegible], Dawes or Shellabarger; or any of the lights who might win fame in the Legislature, but whose glory pales by [illegible] at Washington. Now comes "Cymon" [illegible] N. Y. *Times*, who says: "At the present [illegible] House seems disposed to swallow [illegible] that is prepared for it by the De[illegible] Sam Randall is the real leader and [illegible] to assert a thing to secure the assent [illegible] Republican majority?" A child-like [illegible] the average Congressman had led us [illegible] that somehow Providence or a po[illegible] accident would upraise what was lowly [illegible] of the Commoner, and fashion another [illegible] mens out of manner Clay. "It's poor work [illegible] 'ars ecstfin' the dead above the livin'," [illegible] ge Eliot; but if "Cymon" insists [illegible] neither Butler nor Bingham, nor yet [illegible] ger hath received the falling mantle [illegible] needs grieve that "Old Man Elo[illegible] ased.

"Like a summer-dried fountain
When our need was the sorest."

Mr. [illegible] this correspondent is troubled [illegible] "investigation" suggested by Ran[illegible] "Cymon" should take unto himself an [illegible] name. We dub him the snarling "Cy[illegible]" Edmons.

[illegible] mittee of the Whole House on the [illegible] Academy appropriation bill, Mr. Co[illegible] on February 8th moved to strike out the [illegible] which gives the Secretary of War dis[illegible] power to substitute for the profes[illegible] Spanish a professorship of rhetoric [illegible] literature. A lively debate en[illegible] during which the relative merits of the [illegible] English, French and German languages as [illegible] to military education were thoroughly discussed. Sargent contended that French and German were more generally [illegible] and that an accurate knowledge of these two languages was more to be desired by reason of the commercial relations we bear to those Governments. General Butler vigorously defended Coburn's motion, and spoke of the acquisition of Mexico as a thing that will take place in this generation. Coburn claimed that the proximity of Mexico, the Indian and Spanish American countries and the Spanish language both desirable and necessary to the army officer. Growing warlike, Mr. Coburn averred that the man or boy was born who would issue a proclamation from Moro Castle, Havana. He did not have meant Gen. Francis Train, would he? The Spanish faction plead long and eloquently. The motion prevailed.

The Legislature of New York threatens to [illegible] the innocent amusement of pointing the [illegible] guns at people a precarious one. Mr. [illegible] mental of that Assembly proposes to [illegible] it a misdemeanor to point a fire-arm [illegible] loaded or unloaded at a human being. The [illegible] penalty for discharging it, without intent to injure, is placed at a fine of $100—or one year's [illegible] imprisonment. The number of lives destroyed [illegible] annually by this "harmless" diversion, pleads strongly for the rigid enforcement of some [illegible] of this kind. It is time that these idiotic [illegible] should be taught that human life is [illegible] to be trifled with in this pecu[illegible] manner.

[illegible] to the latest testimony of B. F. [illegible] of the officers of Credit Mobilier, [illegible] Union Pacific contract were $80,[illegible] contract, about $9,000,[illegible] contract, over $5,000,[illegible] the whole cost, as appears [illegible] and [illegible] of a form[illegible] the fullness of its [illegible] dom-spirit of his deaths.

At length, the memorable [illegible]

"The Saddest of All is Loving."

And now cometh Mrs. Fannie E. Dodge and averreth that her portly spouse, Ossian E. of "Thanksgiving Dinner" notoriety, is possessed of much of the nature of the brute—"Whose soul goeth downward." The nuptials of this dissonant pair were celebrated one rosy morn in May, 1867. The epithalamium of Ossian was a glowing prospectus of projects to accrue from his new investment, interspersed with that peculiar kind of addled jokes which has cast a cloud over the memory of Macpherson. The recital of Fannie's wrongs shows that ere the honey-moon had waxed to its full, the fickle Ossian was guilty of the use of degrading epithets; such as, that he took her from poverty and rags, and that she had proved herself a thief and a robber, which indignity the plaintiff born with an equanimity of temper that was disturbed only by the impolite aversion that she was a bell-hound, then a fool, and that he would starve her into an implicit obedience by feeding her on potatoes.

Passing over the reference to the infernal caninity of Mrs. Dodge's nature, and the superfluous impeachment of her intelligence, it will be observed that the elements of Bardell vs. Pickwick are here introduced. The assault upon plaintiff's diet was followed up by the comprehensive remark that she was not fit to wear jewels; was no wife and was not fit to be, enforced by the injudicious acceleration of her exit through a back-door, through the agency of a pair of No. 9 brogans. Just here the temper of Mrs. D. swung from its perfect poise. And when Ossian

Encouraged his oldest son to abuse and insult her by calling her a liar on different occasions—the trouble once occurring when the boy had applied for the repair or reconstruction of his pantaloons,

the effervescent Fannie bubbled over into insubordination. But the ultimate capillament that fractured the spinal column of the dromedary was the pungent adjuration to go to climes infernal, coupled with

Ordering her from his room with the expression "Leave my room and get out. I would as soon have a dead mule or a rotten fish in the room." To which fragrant rhetoric plaintiff excepts. And finally the notorious infidelity of defendant to his marriage vows constrains plaintiff to request Judge Dawes to decree the eternal separation of those twain. So will he harmonize the jangling spheres of domestic felicity and secure the greatest good to the greatest number of "the Dodge Club." So mote it be.

The subject which chiefly burdens the Atlantic Cable just now, is the abdication of King Amadeus of Spain, and the events that have followed and will follow that act. Immediately after the formal abdication, a Republic was proclaimed by the Cortez. No disturbances ensued and Spain is quiet. Thus matters stand at present. How they will stand a day or two hence no one is able to predict with certainty. The Spanish people are always ready for a revolt. The sentiment of the nation, so far as it can be said to have any sentiment, is in sympathy with the enterprises of any adventurer who has an ambition to overturn the *statu quo*. Indolent and inefficient in most respects, the Spanish populace can show itself quite active enough when there is mischief to be done. If the Spanish insurgent is weak and languid in his insurrections, he has but a weak and languid national government to oppo with.

Report says Don Carlos will take advantage of the present situation to push his pretensions to the crown. Montpensier is also said to be making preparations on a large scale and with the backing of an immense amount of money, to re-establish the rule of the Bourbons. Don Carlos has the prestige of an already organized and active insurrection in his favor. The Republic will in all probability prove a failure, but what will follow, time alone will tell.

"Roland" writes the Sacramento *Union* that an Episcopalian clergyman, Rev. John Hutchoson, of Boston, has been arrested in a New Jersey town on a charge of swindling. Having induced many pious people to subscribe liberally for charitable objects, he absconded with the coin leaving his victims to mourn over the "objects." Several years since he was deposed from his priestly office by the Bishop of Nova Scotia. Somehow, a kind of epidemic has struck a certain class of clergymen in the East. Not long since, a clergyman of Omaha undertook to reform a gambler by "bucking at the tiger,"—intending, as he declares, to win all the sport's money and then return it to him with a homily on the extreme iniquity of playing games of chance. He came out of the game a ruptured community, forgetting to deliver his sermon. Another pastor in Iowa took the same contract on his hands and found by bitter experience that his clerical profession had unfitted him for the practice of his "last art." His congregation refused to make up the deficit and he is now seeking "green fields and pastures new."

Full particulars of the sinking of the *North Fleet*, while at anchor off Dungeness, will be found in another column. The feeling of horror which will be excited by a perusal of this heartrending narrative, can be equalled only by the indignation felt at the cruelty of the officers of the *Murillo*. A week ago, in the English House of Lords, Earl Carnarvon inquired whether there was any convention with Spain by which the officers and crew of the steamer *Murillo* might be held to answer for this fearful destruction of life. Earl Lauderdale expressed the opinion that no criminal proceedings would hold against the *Murillo*'s officers, unless it could be shown that manslaughter was committed. Granville coincided with Lauderdale as to the legal aspect of the case. Whatever the law may say, it has become quite evident that the commander of the Spanish vessel could not have been wholly ignorant of the collision. The cries of the doomed emigrants smote a heart of stone. The *Murillo*'s officers and crew cannot be held guiltless of murder.

In the Municipal Court of San Francisco yesterday, a Chinaman was placed on trial for burglary, and convicted. Just at this point the proceedings took an unexpected turn. It was discovered by the jail keeper that he had had the wrong man in court. The right one was then produced and the trial was gone through with again.

Minneapolis papers say that Governor Austin has received news from the frontier counties of Minnesota, from which it appears that the late terrible storm in that State was not as severe as has been reported. No less than twenty deaths from freezing have been reported.

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THE NORTHFLEET DISASTER.

DISTRESSING DETAILS.

A New York dispatch of the 7th has the following particulars of the disaster to the emigrant ship *North Fleet* in the English Channel:

The details of the terrible disaster to the ship *North Fleet* are published, from which it appears that at half-past 10 at night, the captain and others were alarmed by a cry from the officers on watch: "A steamer is right into us!" The captain and pilot rushed on deck, but before they got there, the steamer had run into the vessel, striking her amidships, and cutting her below the watermark. The carpenter quickly reported her nearly half full of water. The pumps were started promptly. The crew worked at them for some minutes, when it was found that the water was rapidly gaining. A panic seemed to seize both the crew and passengers, and afterward they could not keep the latter in check. A crowd of men and women had rushed up from their berths, many only half clothed. The passengers had mostly retired, but a few were undressing. The noise of the collision is likened by one of them to a peal of thunder, and such was the violence of the shock that those who were standing were knocked down. It appears that the steamer rebounded and came on a second time in collision with the *North Fleet*. The water began to pour in, and in a very short time the passengers' quarters were swamped. The women were slower to rush on deck than the men. Many were not in a condition to go till the water rose threateningly around them. No one on board the steamer was heard to speak, although the loud shouts from the *North Fleet* must have made her crew aware of the terrible danger that existed. She backed for two or three minutes and then steaming rapidly away was soon out of sight. For half an hour the scene on board the *North Fleet* was appalling. The women screamed, the men cursed and fought their way towards the boats, whilst the captain and mate roared out commands to "keep back," and allow the women to get on the side of the vessel, but apparently without success.

Rockets were fired, blue lights burned, and a gun tried to be loaded, but the screw of the ramrod became detached from the handle. Signals of distress were seen by several vessels, but they appear to have been regarded as signals for a pilot. The captain, finding the men determined to leave the vessel, went below and armed himself with a revolver, and ascending the poop, declared his determination to shoot the first man who tried to leave the vessel before the women were saved.

The first boat launched was lowered by a number of passengers by cutting the ropes. There being no ladder at hand, the only way of getting into it was by leaping or dropping some fifteen feet. As there was a terrible rush toward the boat the scene was of the most distressing confusion, and a man and boy fell into the water and were drowned. The officers did all they could to force the men who first got into the boat to leave it, that the women might be saved, but to no purpose. Even firing with blank cartridges (it is supposed) at first was unavailing. About thirty persons having got into the boat, they pulled off. Not one of the crew was in it.

Another life-boat was then launched. A man got into it and was ordered to leave. He refused to and the captain shot him in the calf. Then Captain Knowles placed his wife in the boat and said to the boatswain, who had already got in: "Here's a charge for you, boatswain, take care of her and the rest. God bless you!" Wringing his wife's hand, he bade her boat bye, saying. "I shall never see you again."

It is impossible to describe the panic that raged all this time. Heartrending scenes were witnessed on all sides. One of the passengers, seeing the captain's wife in the boat, threw in his own wife and tossed the baby to her, and entered the boat himself. A little girl was thrown into the boat by her father, who tried to save the rest of the family, but the maddened crowd pressing toward the side of the vessel prevented, and with the wife and two other children he went down with the ill-fated vessel. The engineer made frantic efforts to save his wife and children, but was jammed between the cook-house and gunwale, and received frightful injuries, though afterwards he was rescued, but is in a precarious state. Only two of the seven boats aboard were launched, owing to the panic. The first was seriously injured as the tackle was cut, and the boat fell into the sea. When the second boat got off, it seemed to become a question of moments. The quarter-deck was still crowded by men, women and children, some crying, some swearing, others praying. The captain and pilot were together, and the latter was heard saying: "If you want to save yourselves make for the topmast!" to which many people rushed. In a quarter of an hour a tug picked up the second boat, with 30 occupants, and then steamed for some time around the spot where about three-quarters of an hour after being struck the *North Fleet* went down head first, with awful suddenness, and with 327 souls on board.

At that moment the first boat was a hundred yards and the second only only twenty or thirty yards from the vessel. The crew of the first boat, after landing the women, rowed around the scene of the wreck and saved five men who were trying to swim to shore.

A lugger took off the occupants of the second boat—thirty-four passengers—and a pilot cutter rescued a pilot and ten men, who, having gone down with the vessel, rose to the surface and clung to the main-topmast rigging. The vessel lies in eleven fathoms of water.

The survivors say the captain displayed the greatest heroism and maintained his presence of mind from first to last, striving hard to put an end to the panic, and did his duty bravely to the end. He was at the last moment going across the wreck in the hope of enabling some of the crowd rushing round the boats on that side to get away from the ship.

The survivors say all the boats got adrift when the ship sank, and they express a belief that if the passengers had allowed them to be lowered properly they could have saved at least 100 more lives. Unfortunately the women could not climb the masts, although we did all in our power to help them. Consequently all the women and children, with the exception of the captain's wife and another and two children were drowned.

A New York dispatch of February 5th says:

At a meeting of the Committee of Seventy last night a letter was received from Mayor Havemeyer, stating that the draft of the charter which will be reported from the Committee on Cities in the Legislature, will differ materially from the draft as presented by the Republican Committee; that this difference will neutralize the power of the Mayor in local government, and open the door to a new reign of partisan trade jobbery.

We fear there is ground for the suspicion entertained by some that the overthrow of Tammany simply transferred the control of New York politics from one ring to another.

The late Mrs. Harrison Gray Otis, a distinguished philanthropist of Boston, died possessed of $1,250,000 in property. During her lifetime she bestowed large sums on private charities, and in her will she left $2,500 each to several benevolent institutions of the Bay State. To each of her servants she bequeathed an annuity of $600. A large number of fine paintings are to be given to the Boston Art Museum, by the provisions of her will.

The Boston correspondent of the Sacramento *Union* says that a man named McDonald undertook, in the Massachusetts Woman's Suffrage Association, to make a speech about the glories of Washington Territory, whence he hailed, but was choked off. Who knows McDonald? And why was he choked off? These queries are distressing.

By a recent act of Congress seeds, roots and scions are placed in the same class as printed matter as to rates of postage. The charge for sending such matter through the mails is one cent for each two ounces or fraction thereof, and the package is limited to four pounds weight.

OREGON.

Since the late rains the tributaries of the Tualatin are much swollen.

A Hook and Ladder Company is soon to be organized at La Grande.

Rabbits are doing much damage to fruit trees in some places east of the mountains.

A. B. Roberts, once of Portland, but for many years a resident of Walla Walla, has removed to Baker City.

There is but little goat and no oysters at La Grande, according to the *Sentinel*, which seems to think they go together.

The Northwestern stage from Union county on Thursday, the 6th, got snow bound in Pyle Canyon and had to return.

The coyotes in Indian Valley, Union county, are quite numerous, and are destroying sheep, young calves and even yearlings.

Forty-four converts were received into the Methodist church as probationers, during the late protracted meeting at La Grande.

The La Grande *Sentinel* says: "Spelling matches, singing schools, oyster suppers, kissing bees, balls, etc., are all the go in these parts this winter."

The Walla Walla *Union* has an article on Washington Territory which contains much valuable information to those seeking a home. We may publish the substance of it to-morrow.

A gentleman down from Harrisburg says the farmers of Linn county are nearly done plowing, and some have commenced sowing their spring crop of wheat. About one third more than last year will be sown.

Summerville, Union county, is thus described in the *Sentinel*: "It is situated on a beautiful stream (Mill Creek) and in the midst of many large farms. It affords two stores, a physician, blacksmith, wagon-maker, rubbler hotel, sawmill, and a splendid school. Near by is a large flouring mill, and a Templar Lodge."

There is a difficulty about a water course in Umatilla county which is likely to lead to much vexatious litigation. It is known that the Walla Walla river divides into two streams, one known as the Tum-a-Lum, and the other retaining the name of the main stream. Since the settlement of the country, and the cutting of timber along the bend of the river, obstructions have formed at the forks, until now the greater portion of the water follows the Tum-a-Lum channel leaving the bed of the main stream at certain seasons of the year almost dry. To remedy this state of affairs, the settlers started in to remove the obstructions, when they were met by an injunction, issued at the instance of parties living on the Tum-a-Lum. This injunction was issued by Judge McArthur, of the District Court, and thus far, all efforts to have it dissolved have failed. Some of the settlers' farms have suffered great damage for the lack of water for irrigating purposes.

Some gentleman in the Nevada Legislature who had made up his mind to begin a correction of the railroad abuse at the very substratum of its corruptive influence, introduced a bill in the lower house which prohibited public officers of Nevada from receiving free passes on railways within that State. The measure was defeated by an enormous majority, and the country member returns to his sage-brush district, sorrowing. We would whisper in his ear, "He that goeth forth and weepeth," etc. Not that the member's ears are long enough to span the hills and dales between us. O no! "Nothing of the sort!" But this honest gentleman must feel terrible lonesome in that legislature.

Some wretch has manufactured the following miserable repartee, and attempted to fasten it on the Secretary of the Navy:

At the President's levee on Wednesday evening, Secretary Robeson, while talking with one lady, accidentally stepped on the train of another standing behind him. The wearer of the latter, feeling herself to be fixed to the spot, turned to the Secretary, and—finding him immovable, as have the relatives and friends of the "middies" who are entreating for the academy the privilege of assisting at the inauguration ceremonies—said, "I beg pardon, Mr. Secretary, you are standing on my train." Secretary Robeson turned instantly and replied, "Though I may not have the power to draw a mortal from the skies I have pinned an angel to the earth." "Oh, Mr. Secretary," exclaimed the lady, "please step on my train again; I want to be an angel, and I'd rather not move."

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The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 14, 1873.

CITY.

PORTLAND ACADEMY.—The second term of the present academical year in this institution closed on last Friday with a written examination. The whole number of regular classes, 35; those taking German, French and Music only, 14; making in all 100 pupils. The following are the names of those in the regular classes whose punctuality, deportment, neatness, recitation and rhetorical exercises entitle them to a place on the "Roll of Honor:"

Holly Cornell	100	Freddie Lowe	98
Ira Townsend	99	Asa Northrup	98
Mary Cornell	99	Stella Taylor	98
Hattie Motley	97	Nellie Waltz	98
Theresa Newell	96	Bobbie Porter	96
Rosie Stansbury	96	Willie Watkins	96
Mary Dickason	96	Charles McGowan	94
Wm. Royal	95	T. W. Royal	94
Wm. Shires	95	Fannie Griffiths	93
Charles Lakin	95	Willie Masters	93
A. Stansbury	94	Belle Sutherland	93
Benj. Waltz	94	Clara Northrup	93
Mary Slavin	94	Louis Lakin	89
Carrie Caples	93	Albert Crawford	89
Oscar Bellinger	93	Eugene Williams	88
Clarence Carter	92	Emily Sutherland	88
Mary DeVore	92	Willie Ensign	86
Mary Hall	92	Zelka Royal	99
Clara Miller	91	Kate Selby	98
Carrie Kitwert	88	George Lowe	97
Charles Indianapolis	88	Eva Waltz	97
Edith Dillon	90	Carrie Royal	97
Ida Francis	87	Frank McGibney	97
Mary Shaw	85	Kate Gardner	96
Julius Ach	85	Samuels Rosenheim	95
Jennie Caples	85	Chester Freeland	91
Emma Miller	85	Hazie Gibbs	92
Lillie Slavin	83	Willie Stimson	92
Charles Ecoff	83	Hobbie Caples	92
Charles Allen	82	Alvan Waltz	92
Myron Shepard	82	Maggie Caples	90
Mary Young	81	Frank Northrup	88
		Mollie Caples	86

PRESERVING WOOD.—At the drug store of C. H. Woodard is to be seen a new process by which wood of all kinds can be rendered fire proof and preserved from decay. The process consists in boring a small auger hole in one end of a log, or stick of timber of any kind. Into this orifice is very tightly inserted a brass nozzle. A small rubber hose, one inch in diameter, is attached to the metal tube inserted in the piece of wood. The hose is from 15 to 20 feet in length, or can be of any desired length. A barrel contains a solution of chemicals which it is desired to infuse in the pores of the timber. In the bottom of the barrel a hole is bored, and the other end of the hose is placed so tightly that none of the fluid can escape except through the hose. The barrel is then elevated the length of the hose above the timber. The solution descends the hose, and is forced by hydraulic pressure through the pores of the wood, expels the sap from the timber, and thoroughly saturates the fibres. It is claimed by the invention that this chemical solution takes possession of the molecules of the wood, rendering it fire proof, and effectually resisting the influences of decay.

SMALL BUOYS.—We are informed by the river pilots that no blame can be attached to Capt. Johnson, who had charge of the bark *Barracouta* at the time she ran aground at the head of Swan Island on Wednesday. The accident was occasioned by the disappearance of the buoy at a sharp turn in the channel. When the vessel and tug reached that point, the pilot was unable to determine where to change the course of the bark. Before that fact could be ascertained, the vessel was hard aground. The buoys are generally so small that when the river rises, the current carries them below the surface of the water, and unless the stage of the river will permit the passage of vessels outside the cut channel, their disappearance causes the pilots great inconvenience. We are informed that the matter will be laid before Maj. Robert, on his return, and much larger buoys will soon take the place of the present ones. This will enable the pilots to follow the channel unerringly when the river rises or falls.

SUPERB WORKMANSHIP.—We were shown yesterday, at the Pacific Saloon, on Front street, several Japanese bureaus of different dimensions, which were brought over on the *Penang* from Hongkong. In superb workmanship these cabinets surpass anything we have ever seen before. They are profusely colored with many beautiful tints, and ornamented with various pictures of birds, plants, etc. The bureaus are divided into many curious and uniquely arranged compartments, rendered serviceable by elegantly manufactured drawers. The joinings of these complicated specimens of mosaic work are so perfect and enter into all their parts, that they seem to have been carved from one solid piece of wood. The corners and drawer holders are mounted with skillfully chased silver. Camphor wood was the only kind of wood employed in the manufacture of these cabinets.

PREPARING TO CHANGE.—Change is stamped on everything, and not less so than on the old wooden tenements which have stood for many years in various localities in the city. Years ago these wooden structures were reared to answer the present requirements of the builders, whose modest means would not warrant a greater expenditure of money. But the age of brick and mortar has arrived, and these old woollen land-marks must give place to more costly and enduring structures. Yesterday a number of men began to tear away the decayed flooring of the row of old wooden tenements near the corner of A and North Front streets, preparatory to placing them on rollers. These wooden buildings will then be removed to some less public locality of the city, and their present site will be occupied by a large brick structure soon to rise.

DOWN THE HOLD.—One of the men employed in loading the ship *Hione*, fell down the hold of the vessel and sustained serious if not fatal injuries. He was standing on the deck at the lower end of the chute, within a few feet of the hold. While he was not watching carefully, a heavy sack of wheat came rapidly down the chute and struck the sailor. The force was sufficient to knock the man backward down the hold. In the descent he struck several projecting timbers. He was taken out insensible and covered with blood. The extent of the injuries is not known, but are thought to be dangerous.

NEEDED REPAIRS.—Some needed repairs are being made to the engine house of Columbian No. 3. A portion of the flooring in the rear of the building has been torn up and the decayed sleepers are being removed, and are to be replaced by new timber. The hydrant will be moved to another part of the house, and an underdrain will be constructed to convey away the surplus quantities of water. The constant wetting and drying of the floor and the sleepers from the hydrant has been the principal cause of the rotten condition of that portion of the engine house.

STEAMER SAILED.—The steamer *Ajax* sailed last evening for San Francisco with a full freight and the following passengers: F A Bancroft, C Buchanan, J C Hildreth, E S Blackwell, J W Hallows, Miss Holmes, Mrs J A Strowbridge, E Harris, Capt. Spotts, I Gregory and mother, L F Dickson and wife, Rev. Father Dolahunty, A Milwain, J H Sharp, J B Abbott and daughter, Mrs Sharp Gen. Oliver Bonnie, S C Adams, I Stewart, Thos. Kean, Wells, Fargo & Co.'s messenger and 25 in the steerage.

SHEEP DESTROYED.—Intelligence has been received from Powell's Valley to the effect that the farmers of that section have been severe sufferers from the ravages committed on flocks of sheep by coyotes and wolves. During the last two weeks repeated depredations have been made by these ravenous little creatures, and a number of valuable sheep have bit the dust. Between twenty-five and thirty head of sheep have been killed in the valley, out of which number Mr. John Powell alone lost seven head.

THE RIGHT MAN IN THE RIGHT PLACE.—The genius who presides over the *Herald*, does not know there is such a town as San Rafael in Lower California, or else thinks Governor Booth's authority extends over that peninsula—probably both. Such ignorance is just the thing for a "live paper" of the *Herald's* kind. It enables one to go along so delightfully free from those restraints which accurate knowledge is likely to impose upon one's imagination.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE CONVENTION.—The Woman Suffrage Convention will assemble at Oro Fino Theater this morning at 10 o'clock. The morning session will be devoted to business, the afternoon to social debate, and the evening to songs, speeches, etc. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Prentice, of Salem, and Mr. and Mrs. McGibney, of this city, will furnish the Convention with vocal and instrumental music.

SWUNG CLEAR.—The bark *Barracouta*, which ran hard aground on last Wednesday, availed herself of the tide, combined with the rise in the river, and swung clear yesterday morning. The tug *Herriman* proceeded on towards Astoria with the vessel as soon as she was extricated.

AN OLD-TIME INCIDENT.—In 1850 the County Court made the following order: "That each of the public officers of Washington county be allowed a statute, and the remainder kept by the County Clerk as a public library to be loaned to the inhabitants of the county on receipt therefor for the term of one month." Portland, "O. T." was then included in the county, and had the benefit of that library.

ACCOUNTS AND BOOKS EXAMINED.—By order of the County Court the books, accounts and papers of George A. Steel, the late County Treasurer of Multnomah, were placed in the hands of the County Clerk for examination. Mr. Harris and his deputy, Mr. Waters, were engaged yesterday in examining the books. The findings of the Clerk are to be reported to the Court to-day.

ADJOURNED.—Circuit Court adjourned on Wednesday evening until Monday morning in consequence of Judge Upton's presence being required at the Supreme Court at Salem. Monday next has been set apart by the Court for the hearing of motions. The grand jury have been discharged temporarily, and the mill of justice is at a stand still for the present.

PYRAMID.—We are informed that it is the expectation of Capt. Ankeny to receive on the next steamer, a large, handsome pyramid which he proposes to erect in the center of the aisle at the new market. This structure, in connection with the music given once a week at the market, will add materially to the attraction and popularity of the place.

CIRCUIT COURT.—The following are the proceedings of the Circuit Court of yesterday: City of Portland vs. J. N. Doiph; verdict of $400 damages in favor of the defendant.

E. J. Taylor vs. Wm. Turnbull; verdict for plaintiff for $50.

R. J. Ladd vs. J. M. Rice; dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

DELEGATES ARRIVED.—A large number of delegates to the Woman Suffrage Convention, which meets in this city to day, arrived by the afternoon trains yesterday. From present indications the attendants will be very numerous from the beginning, which will take place at 10 o'clock this morning at Oro Fino Theater.

UNABATED.—The religious revival which has been in progress for weeks at the Taylor street M. E. Church, still continues with an earnest interest unabated. The meetings are continued with deepening and widening influence. Last Tuesday evening seven more persons united with the church.

THE SARAH SCOTT.—This bark was taken in tow by the *Ben Holladay* yesterday morning at 10 o'clock bound for Astoria. Her cargo is almost completed, and what is lacking to make up her load will be added at the last mentioned port. The vessel is drawing 17 feet and 2 inches.

ON THE WAY.—No sooner had the bark *Barracouta* swung clear of the sand at the head of Swan Island yesterday morning than the ship *Russell Sprague* hoisted anchor where she was lying opposite the lower saw-mill, and was taken in tow of the *Emma Hayward* bound for Astoria.

WITH STAVE BOLTS.—The bark *Jane A. Falkinburg* will probably proceed down the river to-day, provided towage can be obtained. This vessel will receive a cargo of staves at Astoria for Honolulu. She will have quick dispatch for her destination after her arrival at Astoria.

AT THE RINK.—Definite arrangements have been made by the committee appointed by Baker Post, G. A. R., to hold their grand inauguration ball at the skating rink, on the evening of March 4th. Extensive preparations are on foot to have the affair pass off in grand style.

ELECTED AS DELEGATES.—On Tuesday last the various teachers of the Taylor street M. E. Church were elected as delegates to attend the State Temperance Alliance, which will convene at Salem on the 20th inst.

TWELVE POUNDERS.—Two twelve pounder guns were conveyed to the post at Vancouver yesterday. They were taken from the arsenal in this city, and will be subject to further orders from headquarters.

TWELFTH LECTURE.—The twelfth lecture at Oro Fino Theater will be delivered by Mrs. A. J. Dunlway on Sunday evening next. The subject will be "The Special Mission of Man."

APPOINTED.—Governor Booth, of California, appointed on the 7th inst., O. F. Bell, of this city, Commissioner of Deeds for the State of California.

Window shades, cornices, curtains, picture nails, etc., also all kinds of upholstery work done at Paul Richter's.

THE CENTENNIAL EXPOSITION.

PORTLAND, February 7, 1873.

HON. A. J. DUFUR—DEAR SIR: At your earliest convenience we shall be pleased to have you deliver a lecture in this city upon the subject of the International Exhibition of 1876. Very respectfully, your obedient servants,

John Dolan,	C. A. Dolph,
Wm. H. Watkins,	Joseph Buchtel,
A. P. Dennison,	W. Lair Hill,
W. W. Page,	Atkinson, Woodward & Co.,
H. C. Leonard,	
Lappeus & Knowles,	D. B. Hannah,
A. C. Gibbs,	L. Brooke,
C. B. Upton,	Charles Gardner,
B. Killin,	Wm. Strong,
B. F. Goodwin,	F. M. Warren,
R. J. Ladd,	George L. Curry,
J. C. Ainsworth,	R. R. Thompson,
Wm. Wadhams,	James Steel,
J. F. Watson,	L. H. Wakefield,
	O. N. Denny.

To the People of Portland and Vicinity: By invitation of a number of your prominent citizens, I have been called upon to speak to the citizens of this locality, at such time and place as may suit my earliest convenience, on the subject of the great Celebration of our Centennial Anniversary and World's Industrial Exposition, to be held in Philadelphia in 1876.

In answer to this request I will name the evening of Tuesday, the 18th inst., at the Oro Fino Hall, in this city, speaking to commence at half past seven.

Hoping to be able at that time to explain to those present the design of this great national undertaking, with the benefits to the Nation at large, and to our State in particular, which will be derived from such a gathering, I remain your obedient servant,

A. J. DUFUR,
Commissioner Alternate for Oregon.
PORTLAND, Feb. 12, 1873.

PERSONAL.

Capt. John Smith and his son, Mr. J. Randolph Smith, was in the city yesterday, on their way to the Warm Springs Reservation.

Hon. Hiram Smith, of Harrisburg, Thomas Winship, U. S. Lighthouse Survey, E. H. Friendly, Esq., of Eugene, H. M. Brookott, of Cathlamet, O. A. Reed and L. M. Parrish, Esqrs., of Salem, were registered at the hotels last evening.

Hon. S. C. Adams took his departure by the steamer yesterday, on his way East, for the purpose of having his Synchronological chart lithographed and introducing it to the public there. We predict great success for this best work of the kind yet invented.

C. Buchanan, Esq., one of the young attorneys of this city, and formerly of the firm of Dolph & Buchanan, took his departure on the steamer last evening. He goes to permanently reside in Evansville, Indiana, his old home, where he will resume his practice.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Those who desire anything in the way of shrubbery, green-house plants, fruit and ornamental trees, flowers, etc., should give Mr. Kiernan a call. He understands the business, and can tell you all about matters in his line. See ad.

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BOARD OF DELEGATES.

MEETING OF THE NEW BOARD OF DELEGATES OF THE PORTLAND FIRE DEPARTMENT—ORGANIZATION AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Pursuant to the law regulating the Portland Fire Department, the newly elected members of the Board of Delegates met last evening at the Police Court rooms at 7:30 o'clock, to effect an organization by the election of a President and Secretary.

The following members of the Board were present:

Vigilance H. & L. No. 1—C. W. Parrish, F. M. Arnold, Thos. Moffett.

Willamette No. 1—W. H. Andrus, J. F. Good, J. L. Davidson.

Multnomah No. 2—A. B. Hallock, A. A. Williams, W. A. Holbrook.

Columbian No. 3—Jas. Lotan, E. Wicks, J. W. Whalley.

Protection No. 4—W. H. Wetzell, H. Morgan, R. Holman.

Tiger No. 5—D. C. Lewis, Jos. Sloan, L. Delschneider.

The certificates of election from the secretaries of the above named companies, certifying to the election of the Delegates, were examined by the Secretary and found correct and satisfactory.

The members of the new Board were then required by the Secretary to sign the test book, after which the oaths of office were administered.

At the formal call of the Secretary, the Board came to order.

Mr. Hallock moved that Mr. D. C. Lewis, a delegate from Tiger No. 5., be elected to serve as a temporary Chairman until a permanent organization could be effected.

Mr. Whalley moved to amend Mr. Hallock's motion by substituting the name of C. W. Parrish, a delegate from the Hook and Ladder, in place of Mr. Lewis.

This motion and amendment provoked a long, violent and heated discussion between Mr. Hallock and Whalley.

Mr. Whalley claimed that Mr. Lewis was not a member of the Board of delegates; he had not received from the Board a certificate of membership, and was therefore ineligible to hold any position temporary or otherwise, in the new Board about to organize.

The question was debated pro and con for over an hour, without arriving at any concerted plan of proceedure.

At length to expediate matters, Mr. Parrish proposed to withdraw his name as a candidate if the records of the Board, since its organization gave a precedent where any new company being admitted into the Department had been entitled to take part in the proceedings, when a new Board was being organized without being in possession of regular certificates.

Protection No. 4 was cited as an instance. The records of the Department as far back as 1862—the time of the admission into the Department of that company—was carefully examined, but failed to indicate to the satisfaction of the Board that the delegates were in possession of certificates at that time.

Another protracted discussion arose in which much feeling was displayed by a number of the opposing members. Half a dozen different motions were before the house at one time, and confusion for a short space succeeded order and harmony of action.

At length Mr. Lotan moved to strike out the name of Mr. Lewis and insert that of Mr. Parrish. The motion was lost.

Amidst great confusion and noise the motion for Mr. Lewis to take the Chair was renewed and carried.

Mr. Lewis then came forward and took his seat and at length succeeded in restoring order.

Mr. Hallock moved that the Board proceed to the election of a President of the Board of Delegates to serve for the ensuing year.

Mr. Whalley then stated that he desired to enter his protest against such an unwarrantable and outrageous proceeding.

Mr. Hallock rose to a point of order, which was a signal for a renewal of the debate.

Loud and persistent calls for order from the Chair failed to restore quiet.

Mr. Whalley again protested against the informal and high-handed proceedings of the Board; and moved to lay the motion to elect a President on the table. Motion was lost by a vote of 8 to 6.

Mr. Holbrook and Williams moved the previous question, which served to greatly augment the confusion among members.

Mr. Whalley moved to adjourn which was lost. A great many motions were made at this juncture but were all ruled out of order by the Chair.

The motion to proceed to the election of a President was put and carried.

The Chair appointed as tellers Messrs. Wetzell and Williams.

Mr. Whalley moved that none be allowed to vote for officers who were not duly certificated members of the Board. The motion was lost.

Nominations were then declared in order by the Chair.

Mr. Williams placed in nomination, for President the name of Wm. H. Andrus, and Mr. Holman that of C. W. Parrish.

The ballot was then taken with the following result:

W. H. Andrus	9
C. W. Parrish	9

The second ballot stood as follows:

W. H. Andrus	10

The Chair then announced that Mr. Andrus, having received a majority of the ballots, was duly elected President of the Board, to serve for one year.

Mr. Andrus was then conducted to the chair by Mr. Hallock, and introduced by the retiring President, Mr. Lewis.

The next thing in order was the election of a Secretary of the Board.

The names of C. Ball, R. S. McLoran and T. B. Trevitt were placed in nomination. The ballot stood as follows: C. Ball, 11; R. S. McLoran, 6; T. B. Trevitt, 1.

Mr. Ball was then declared duly dolected.

The oath of office was then administered to the Secretary, he being an officer at large of the Department.

The Board next proceeded to the election of a Treasurer.

W. A. Holbrook was placed in nomination for that office. There being no opposition, the ballot was taken resulting as follows:

Holbrook, 16; Blank, 8.

A motion was made to adjourn, but was withdrawn.

Mr. Hallock called for the reading of the communication from Tiger No. 6, asking for certificates of membership from the Board.

Mr. Ball read the communication and presented to the Board a check on the First National Bank of $52 given to the Company to defray the necessary expense of issuing the certificates.

This was followed by another scene of wrangling and confusion among the members, during the continuance of which our reporter withdrew.

THE COURTS.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT—HAMILTON, J.

THURSDAY, Feb. 13, 1873.

Report of Wm. Allen, Supervisor of Road District No. 17, allowed and Supervisor allowed $142 75 for extra services.

Ordered that the Clerk be instructed to notify the Sheriff to collect the county tax of A. A. Cohn, according to the decision of the Circuit Court, rendered Feb. 11, 1873, viz: That it be corrected from the original assessment of $40,000 to $20,965.

P. M. Edwards, Supervisor of Road District No. 8 presented his report for the year ending February, 1873. Report was accepted and Supervisor allowed $50 30 for additional labor and money paid out.

Ordered that the books and accounts of Geo. A. Steel as late Treasurer of Multnomah county be referred to W. H. Harris, County Clerk, for examination, to report his findings to this Court to-morrow.

Proposition of W. T. Morris to make a map of section and claim lines in the county, suspended indefinitely.

MARTIN, C. M., holds himself in readiness to forward all orders for anything in his line, to all quarters of the city. He is bound to keep ahead in everything and to satisfy yourself in the matter, call on him at his new location, corner of Yamhill and First streets. If he can't furnish you with the article you desire, then you can reckon on not getting it in the city. His [illegible] adjusted to suit all classes. Take a [illegible] store and fail not to stop to-night [illegible] will be paid to your wants.

To protect the understanding [illegible] there is like leather fastened toget[illegible] WIRE. Boots and Shoes made [illegible] eak, or come apart.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Valentine's Day.

The *Ajax* got away on time last evening.

Eastern walnuts are a luxury horsehoots.

Corner loafing increases as the weather improves.

Puget Sound clams continue to arrive in the market.

The bark *Penang* began to discharge her cargo yesterday.

The *Katie Heron* will sail for Tillamook Bay in about ten days.

The schools, both public and private, are largely attended.

Wilson's amphithoater, San Francisco, opened on Monday evening last.

There are over thirty teachers of vocal and instrumental music in this city.

The bark *Caribou* commenced discharging her ballast yesterday at Flanders' wharf.

Three thousand cabbages will arrive this week from Sauvie's Island for Hachenoy & Stomme.

Some trailing plants are commencing to put forth green leaves in anticipation of an early spring.

The Turn Verein masquerade will take place on the 10th of March, not 11th as the printers made it yesterday.

The sale of valentines was quite lively yesterday, though there was a perceptible falling off from former years.

Keith continues to supply the market with Noisit Bay oysters. You can depend on getting them in a No. 1 style at his place.

The *Oriflamme* will be the next steamer to sail from San Francisco. She will leave the Golden City to-morrow, and return on the 21st inst.

Cherry Belle is playing in the "Yellow Hat" at the Metropolitan Theater, San Francisco. Mrs. L. F. Beatty and Frank Hussey are cast in the same play.

The remains of Mr. Hiram C. Warren, who died at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. L. H. Wakefield, were forwarded to Brooklyn, Cal., on the steamer.

The crossing at the corner of Washington and Second streets, should be relaid, as it fills with water underneath each rainy day and makes it unpleasant for pedestrians.

About four hundred dollars' worth of tickets to the ball of the "Young People's Social Club" have been sold, and there is every indication that the affair will prove a success.

The "Johns" crowd the Chinese opera house on Alder street every night. Curious Mollican men drop in to see the fun, but the foul air is too much for them and they make their stay brief.

J. B. Congle has fitted up the store formerly occupied by L. White & Co. and laid in an entire new stock of saddlery, hardware, saddles and other goods. He is the sole agent for gutta percha and carbolized hose, which he sells at San Francisco prices, freight added.

RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

PERSONAL, LOCAL AND GENERAL.

[From the Advocate.]

E. R. Zimmerman, formerly of the Taylor Street M. E. Church, is now in the Methodist Theological school in Boston, pursuing a course of instruction.

Rev. J. H. Allyn writes Feb. 5th: We have had one or two more conversions, and some more accessions to the Church, on Sheridan circuit, since I wrote you last.

Rev. J. T. Wolf, Presiding Elder of Umpqua District, gave us a call this week. Bro. W. is in good health and spirits, and is pushing on the work in his extended and laborious district.

A note from Rev. L. M. Nickerson, Principal of the Santiam Academy, brings the cheering word that the school is doing splendidly. The number of students in attendance was never greater.

SPECIAL CHURCH NOTICES.

Rev. J. R. Hammond, of Hillsboro, will preach at the Taylor street M. E. Church, on Sabbath morning and evening next. All are invited to attend.

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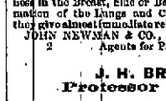

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Risen a vision cool and sweet,
Of happy days, alas! too fleet.

Of home beside the gray old mill—
Of dripping water—turning wheel—
Of school-house perched on snow-clad hill;

Of knife-hacked bench and dog eared book;
Of curly head-ed Phil's sly look,
His cautious, beckoning finger crook

The bliss that he slyly kissed
Twirls through the air, lights on the list
Of columned words, sure to be missed

Two merry hearts that brightly bleed,
Pierced with a feather-studded reed—
A Cupid begging love's just meed.

Lame verses in a scrawling line
"I love my love. Is her love mine?
Say, will Dick be my Valentine?"

Ah, happy, happy, fools'd days!
Phillip has won and loves the praise
The world gives to a poet's lays.

I keep the faded, scrawling line
"I love my love. Is her love mine?"
Is still my only Valentine.

Ah! Phillip, do you never think
Of painted sled—of mill pond brink—
Forge.-me-nots in chains-a-link?

'Tis well to love, 'tis well to pray
That God will give me back, some day,
You and the heart you took away

—*February's Scribner*

Napoleon's Death.

POST MORTEM EXAMINATION—NATURE OF HIS DISEASE—HIS WILL.

Mail advices from England give additional particulars of the death of Napoleon. He fully understood that the operation he must undergo might prove fatal, and prepared for death He revised and added a codicil to his will, which is rumored to be a curious document. After the first operation he made a confession, and received absolution. He had been scrupulously attentive to his religious duties for several months, before, never failing to attend Mass every Sunday, holiday, and day of devotion. The first and second operations were performed under chloroform, and the Emperor was given each night a powerful narcotic.

The *post mortem* examination was performed by Dr. Sanderson, Surgeon and Professor of Anatomy, and was conducted in the presence of Sir William Gull, Dr. Conneau, Dr. Le Barge Corvisart, Sir Henry Thompson, Mr. Clover, and Mr. Foster. The following is the official report:

The most important results of the examination was that the kidneys were found to be involved in inflammatory effects, produced by the irritation of the vesical calculus, which must have been in the bladder for several years, to a degree which was not suspected, and if it had been suspected, could not have been ascertained. The disease of the kidneys was of two kinds. There was on the one hand a dilation of both ureters, and on the pelves of both kidneys. On the left side the dilation was excessive, and had given rise to atrophy of the glandular substance of the organ; on the other there was subacute inflammation of the uriniferous tubes, which was of more recent origin. The parts in the neighborhood of the bladder were in a healthy state. The mucous membrane of the bladder and prostatic urethra exhibited the signs of subacute inflammation; but not the slightest indication of injury. In the interior of the bladder was found part of a calculus, the form of which indicated that the most of it had been removed. Besides this, there were two or three extremely small fragments, none of them larger than a hemp seed. This half calculus weighed three-quarters of an ounce, and measured 1¼ inch by 15-16 of an inch. There was no disease of the heart nor of any other organ excepting the kidneys. The brain and its membranes were in a perfectly natural state. The blood was generally liquid, and contained only a very few, small clots. No trace of obstruction by coagula could be found, either in the venous system, in the heart, or in the pulmonary artery. Death took place by failure of action, and was attributable to the general constitutional state of the patient. The disease of the kidneys, of which this state was the expression, was of such a nature, and so advanced, that it would in any case have shortly determined a fatal result. This report was signed by all the surgeons present, except Dr. W. W. Gull, whose opinion differed only in regard to the origin of the stone, he believing it to have resulted from cystitis.

The Emperor died from the shock of the operation, which would have not been attempted, had not the fatally diseased condition of the kidneys been known. He had been terribly tormented by pain for over two years, but concealed his suffering for political reasons.

He left a will in Paris, which will be opened by the President of the Tribunal of the Seine. A copy is deposited in London. Another copy, with a codicil, is in the hands of the Empress. It regulates the order of succession, and contains details respecting eventualities which may arise before the Prince shall attain his majority.

The chloroform was administered to the Emperor throughout by Dr. Glover, whom the London *Telegraph* calls the most experienced administrator of that anæsthetic in the world. It is reported that Napoleon's private fortune is very small, his income not exceeding $5,000 a year. His expenses of sixty thousand a year at Chiselhurst were paid from his wife's revenue.

Hon. Henry R. Selden, one of the ablest members at the New York bar, presented an elaborate argument in the case of the United States against Miss Susan B. Anthony. He claimed for Miss Anthony all the rights of a citizen and a voter. The following brief extract from his speech will indicate the grounds of his argument:

Beyond question, therefore, the first section of the Fourteenth Amendment, by placing the citizenship of women upon a par with that of men, and declaring that the "privileges and immunities" of the citizen shall not be abridged, has secured to women, equality with men, the right to suffrage, unless that conclusion is overthrown by some provision of the Constitution.

[illegible] opinion of Mr. Justice Bradley, in relation to this amendment, corresponds very [illegible] with what I have here said. The learned judge in one part of his opinion says: "It is possible that those who framed the article did not themselves be aware of the far-reaching character of its terms. They may have had in their mind but one particular phase of social and political wrong, which they desired to redress—yet, if the amendment, as framed and expressed, does, in fact, leave a broader meaning, and does extend its protecting shield over those who were never thought of when it was conceived and put in form, and does reach such social evils which were never before prohibited by constitutional amendment, it is to be presumed that the American people, in giving it their *imprimatur*, understood what they were doing, and meant to decree what it has in fact been done.

I have said nothing upon the second ground [illegible] the absence of any criminal intent, [illegible] do not design to present any [illegible] on that subject, believing fully in the [illegible]ness of the first ground of defense. [illegible] error in that, I shall leave the [illegible] the determination of your Honor, [illegible] argument on my part.

A RIVAL TO YOSEMITE.—Recent explorations [illegible] the great Tuolumne river canyon, about 18 [illegible] north of Yosemite Valley, have, it is claimed, added a new wonder to those already [illegible]ed by that famous region. Its discoverer, Messrs. John Muir and Galen Clarke, report that while the valley is narrower than the [illegible] of the Yosemite, the river flowing [illegible] it is much larger. The falls of the [illegible] surpass those of the Tuolumne canyon in unbroken volumes of descending water, but in the variety of cascades and waterspouts the Tuolumne canyon is said to be far superior, its great walls being seamed by [illegible]-worn fissures, down which rivers leap, thunder, thunder, brawl, and sing with all variations and expressions of sound. There is one water-leap of 1,800 feet in the Tuolumne canyon, but it is not unbroken, like the Upper Yosemite, and is in that respect inferior to the well-known cataract. There are many [illegible] like the famous Bridal Veil of the Yosemite, which the wind shapes in falling folds and silvers the threads, giving them the appearance of a gauzy fabric. The marks of glacial action are much fresher on the walls of the Tuolumne than in Yosemite, where rain, [illegible]wind, sand and earthquake have all [illegible] to blur the indications which are of [illegible]terest to geologists. From the [illegible]ed by the explorers of [illegible]ining access to its wonders, [illegible] that its attractions must remain [illegible] and [illegible] by the vast majority of travelers, [illegible] of a form [illegible]an by the fullness [illegible] dom-spirit [illegible]iking, a sixteen year old damsel who [illegible] At long [illegible]arks, Wis., was so vexed because her [illegible] was denied her going to a party for which she had only accepted a gentleman's escort, that [illegible]strychnine and died.

Reissuing Cancelled Notes.

A majority of the Senate Finance Committee presented yesterday a report on the question of the power of the Secretary of the Treasury to reissue any portion of the $44,000,000 notes retired and cancelled under the act of April 12, 1866. The report will, we think, be generally accepted as conclusive, as it certainly is able and complete. The whole subject of the issue of legal tender notes is carefully reviewed by the committee, their necessity and their legality as a war measure are clearly shown, and the unquestionable purpose of Congress, first in authorizing the contraction of the currency and then in limiting the rapidity with which it should be done, is explained. The result to which the committee inevitably comes after this historical review is that the Secretary of the Treasury has no legal power whatever to reissue any of the notes which, under the act of April, 1866, were retired and cancelled

There is on this point one argument which is absolutely unanswerable, and which is really the pivot of this whole report. It is not and cannot be disputed that Congress meant to establish a policy of contraction by the act of April, 1866, and that under that policy the volume of paper money was reduced to $356,000,000. Every paper dollar which, under that act, came in and was cancelled, was properly held to be destroyed, and to permit the Secretary of the Treasury any power to reissue it was simply to make the act null and void. Congress resolved that in the first six months after the act not more than $10,000,000, and every month thereafter not more than $4,000,000 per month should be retired. But whatever was retired was so disposed of absolutely, and had it been otherwise the act would have been of no effect. Had the Secretary the power to reissue at any time those cancelled notes, the reduction of the paper currency would have depended altogether upon his will, and not upon the laws of Congress. From the logic of this reasoning there is no possible escape.

The act of the Treasury Department in issuing $8,000,000 of legal tender notes in October last may be defended in two ways. It may be assumed, as indeed it is, that the act of March, 1863, authorizing the issue of new notes as a substitute for notes returned to the Treasury to be cancelled and destroyed, applies to those notes cancelled under the act passed specially to reduce the volume of the currency; or the defence may be that there is no little apprehension of law in the Treasury Department that the issue of the $5,000,000 in October was made through sheer ignorance. In either case the position of the Department, or of those who were responsible for that act, is one about which the least said the better. A blunder so egregious is in fact without defense, and if defense is attempted then it becomes a crime. The adoption of this report of the Finance Committee of the Senate, and a resolution of half a dozen lines on the subject, should put the repetition of such an act beyond the power of the rashest or most ignorant official in future.—*N. Y. Evening Post, Jan.* 15.

How They Put Out Fires in Munich.

A private letter from Munich, Bavaria, gives the following particulars of a fire as witnessed by the writer. In comparing the system there practiced with the prompt and generally successful method employed in this country, the reader cannot but note the wonderful advantage we enjoy over our Bavarian brethren in this regard:

This evening I heard the alarm of fire, and, seeing a crowd, plunged in and got there before their engines did. The fire had the appearance of being nothing more than that of a chimney burning, and I turned to go away; but, hearing a shout, looked back and saw the old "Dutch" machine coming down "like the wolf on the fold," pulled by four heavy horses. The engine was very dexterously brought to a stand-still by the driver running into a wagon standing near by, knocking down two horses and nearly upsetting the whole business. The blaze on the roof was mounting higher, and fifteen minutes after the engine was on the ground a ladder was hoisted to the roof. Down the street came a huge form, accompanied by a heavy rumbling sound, as of thunder, and as every one was waiting for the earth to swallow him up, their fears were allayed by perceiving that the indistinct mass before mentioned was only a huge cask of water on four wheels drawn by horses and men. The fire was still making strong head-way. A small hand-pump also appeared on the scene, pushed and dragged by a parcel of boys and men with brass hats on their heads, which are intended to represent caps and also add to the magnificence and splendor of the scene by the bright reflection that they cast on the admiring crowd.

Fifteen minutes more and the hose is brought. A man ventures up the ladder with a hatchet, and is followed by several others who bring the hose. But things are not yet suited to suit Teutonic ideas of propriety. Another dask of water is hailed with delight. Another sound of trumpets! The military appear and station guards along the hose—which is about as large as a pipe stem—and the rest push the crowd away about four blocks. Taking a farewell glance I had the satisfaction of at last seeing a very slender stream of water playing on the fire, which now covered three houses, just three-quarters of an hour after the engine had arrived. There is really no need of a fire department here (and I suppose that is the reason why they have none), as the walls of the houses are all about two or three feet thick, and of stone and brick, and that unless the fire is very large it does not communicate.—*St. Louis Globe.*

The crew of the *Rhine*, a sailing vessel of over 1000 tons, which has just arrived in London, tell a thrilling tale of a new peril in the shape of an immense waterspout which menaced them when 1,200 miles out, and the way it was dispersed of suggests a new use for sheet-iron thunder. Not long before the dread phenomenon appeared to them the sea assumed a dead calm, as if something had settled down upon and flattened it. All hands had an ill-defined apprehension of dread, which they vainly sought to dispel by the usual sailors' device of spinning yarns. Soon the Captain's voice called out, "All hands on deck," and fear and confusion followed, for as soon as attention was drawn to it there was upon not more than half a mile ahead an immense waterspout, seemingly two hundred feet higher than the ship, and filling half the visible ocean. The men worked as only those in desperate straits can work, but there was not a breath of air stirring, and all effort was wasted. Women and children in the steerage were shrieking and calling upon the old tars to save them. Not a gun could be found on board, and nothing seemed left but to die bravely if they could. At this juncture, a young sailor was heard up aloft shouting to those below to stand from under. There he was with a heavy block of wood which he held above his head, and as the crowd dispersed and the seething mass of water advanced, he threw his block upon deck. It struck a piece of sheet iron with a report like a cannon. The ship careened, lurched backward and stood steady, and when the passengers regained their feet again, the waterspout had broken and they were saved.

THE GREAT "NERVE TUNER."—The *Orcheste*[illegible] says: "An interesting discovery has, it is stated, been made lately by an Italian. He has hit upon a method by which nerves may be tuned like harp-strings, and brought into harmony with each other. His theory is that nervous systems, like musical instruments, are all liable to change of tone, and this change is of little importance if all the nerves change together, as by attention to diet and temperature the evil may be corrected—as music, but when, owing to accident or uneven wear, the general harmony of the nerves is destroyed, a disconnected action is the result, and a special mode of treatment is required, of which he possesses the key. He calls himself a 'nerve tuner,' and contracts to keep nerves in order by the month or year. There seems to be no reason why people should not take lessons in 'nerve tuning,' and, like violin performers, acquire themselves the tuning art. Some nerves, like fiddles, want tuning each time they are used, and if every man and woman could screw up his or her nerve fibers as they become relaxed, the world would be saved a vast amount of trouble, for it can not be denied that the principal sufferers from nervous disorders are not those who immediately labor under them, but their friends and acquaintances."

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

THURSDAY EVENING, Feb. 13, 1873.

Gold in New York to-day, 114⅝.

Portland Legal Tender rates, 87½c buying; 88½c, selling.

Gold bars are quotable at 800 fine.

Wheat in Liverpool—Average, California, 12s@12s 2d; Chili, 12s 6d@12s 9d.

The volume of funds moving in the market, or in other words, the supply of money in general circulation seems to be very slowly but gradually increasing. This is mainly attributable to the fact that remittances from the interior are coming forward with a little more freedom, while the quiet state of the wheat market has somewhat checking the amount being sent out to purchase cargoes for vessels. During the last two weeks, the amount disbursed by our wheat buyers has not been large, but while this is true, there is no doubt that more of that which was disbursed prior to that time has found its way into circulation than for the same length of time in any part of the season, before. In building and improving, as well as in buying and selling, the present period is usually one of considerable activity, and aside from ordinary movements in monetary matters there is always but little feeling at this time of the year, in that direction. When the business incident to the opening of the spring shall have been fairly begun, and the various enterprises contemplated, and mentioned by us elsewhere, shall have been actually commenced, the prospects are, safe for no easy money market and an active business year

In regard to local finances the general feeling is one of more ease than heretofore, and though rates of discount, commissions, etc., seem but little changed, funds are more readily obtained on prime paper, both at the banks and on the street. The supply of capital seems more in proportion to the demand

Puget Sound Shipping.

The H. W. Gawley arrived at Port Madison on Saturday, the 1st inst.

The three-masted schooner James Townsend, arrived at Seattle on Friday of last week from San Francisco. She will load there with lumber.

The bark Osmyn sailed from Port Blakely for San Francisco on the 6th inst.

The bark Martha Rideout arrived at Port Blakely from San Francisco on the 7th inst.

Exports.

Per *Ajax* for San Francisco this day, 4,103 sks Wheat, 14,326 sks Flour, 2,588 sks Oats, 920 bxs Apples, 305 bxs Eggs, 588 sks Potatoes; 147 sks Onions, 218 hf bbls, 20 cs and 100 kits Salmon; 42 bbls Beef, 10 sks Oatmeal, 870 bundles Hoop Poles, 2 bales Wool, 200 Hides, and 48 packages miscellaneous merchandise.

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—During the week which we review this evening the transactions have been generally limited to lots in store along the line of the railroad and the river, owing to the fact that farmers remote from shipping points find the roads in such condition that they cannot guarantee to forward consignments in the cars or boats, and the buyers are not inclined in the present condition of the market to give orders for time deliveries. The British bark *Northumbria* from Valparaiso, consigned to Messrs. Howitt and Wilson, by whom she has been chartered to load for Liverpool, has arrived opposite the dock here, in addition to the vessels heretofore mentioned, so that three more are all that we have any positive information of, which are to arrive for that purpose. These will be due at different periods within the next 40 days. The quotation during the few parts of the week were quite steady at 91 @92 per cental, and some was purchased at that price, but no large lots. On Wednesday buyers began to mark down the price, and would only give quotations at $1 80, which is $1 90 higher than we can obtain for it to-day, and we know of none offering to sell at that figure. From a gentleman who resided at Harrisburg, we learn that the surplus yet in that vicinity is generally held by farmers at 75 cents per bushel, equal to $1 20 per cental here. Mr. Hendricks informs us that the prices ruling there on that place is 70 cents ₱ bushel, which is 5 cents more than the quotations given by exporters here From the same source we learn that the estimated amount for export yet in the hands of the farmers nearest to Junction and Hewitt's Ferry is comparatively small, probably not exceeding 10,000 bushels. The amount in store at Harrisburg is not over 50,000 bushels We learn of a purchase of several thousand bushels here to-day, but the terms are reserved by the parties.

FLOUR—The supply in the hands of agents of the various State mills is quite up to the average, but trade is dull, the limited demand from abroad requiring but little comparatively, to supply it at the present high freights. Most of our State mills are running on short time, and the surplus has been brought in quite crowded. Our quotations are $5 60 ₱ bbl for standard brands of extra, $4 00@5 for good country brands, and $4 for superfine Shipments by the Ajax to-day were 14,326 quarter sacks.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices are firm at 60 cents per bushel, sacks included, at which buyers have secured considerable lots during the past few days. The California market is watched with some anxiety, as it is expected that the demand will prove better before seeding time is fairly over. There were sent to San Francisco by the steamer to-day, only 2,588 sks

FEED—We notice moderate receipts as well as a somewhat lessened demand Figures have somewhat declined, and dealers here pay $16@18 per ton for bran, $27@30 for shorts, and $30@35 for middlings, cheap, etc. Jobbers selling rates are $2@2 50 per ton advance on these figures.

BARLEY—The demand at San Francisco is more active, and we notice some inquiry here, but offers are few. Quotations are furnished nominally at $1 40@1 50 per cental.

GRAHAM FLOUR—Quotable at $2 75 per 100 pounds, with a fair supply.

OAT-MEAL—There is some increase in the local demand, which is quite well supplied by the mill at Hillsborough and that of Messrs. Mottman & Starr in this city. We quote at $5 50@6 per 100 pounds.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—The market is only fairly supplied at $3½@0¼c per lb. The demand is not very active at the moment.

CORNMEAL—The demand is only moderate, and prices are firmer than last week, at $3 25@3 50 ₱ 100 lbs.

HOMINY—Quotations are steady at $5 ₱ 100 lbs, with the local demand fully up to the average.

OILCAKE MEAL—The supply in the market is quite small. Quotable at $40 ₱ ton.

HAY—We note continued fair receipts both of timothy and wild, and some disposition in prices to weaken. The former is quotable at $10@18 ₱ ton, and the latter dull at $8@10.

POTATOES—Some falling off in the receipts is noticed, but not to such an extent as to buoy prices, which are only firmer, without appreciation We quote choice upland varieties at 40@45 cents ₱ bushel, while inferior to fair smooth lower grades sell at 30@35c.

APPLES—The demand for shipping lots is firm, and including boxes sacklots are worth 90@$1 ₱ box, while jobbers and retailers purchase from wagons at 65@75c without boxes.

ONIONS—No change from last week's quotations are noticed; the receipts have been small and with some demand prices are firm at 2c2½ cents ₱ lb.

BUTTER—There is but little sale here for the vast quantity that is in the market Since last report prices have not at all changed. Quotations are furnished at 16 @22 cents ₱ lb for solid, 35@25c for rolls. Fancy dairy is supplied at the usual rates agreed upon between dairymen and dealers for the season, and is retailing at 60c ₱ lb.

EGGS—There is but little demand except for local consumption, and prices are dull at 20@22½ ₱ dozen. There is a large supply in hands here, and the prospect of appreciating prices is not good. Many country merchants have been buying and holding back lots which are placed here on consignment, the San Francisco market will not bear shipments to profit and hence our low quotations here.

CHEESE—Prime lots of Oregon made are in the market and jobbers' rates are 18@20c ₱ lb.

BACON—It would seem a misnomer in Oregon's capacity to produce this staple to see the amount now in store in the city. Prices are low, buyers not being anxious to purchase at 14@12½c ₱ lb for Hide, 9@10c for Shoulder, and 13½@15c for Bacon.

LARD—The market follows that of Bacon and is dull at 10@11c ₱ lb in kegs, and 11@13c in tins

POULTRY—The market is well supplied with Chickens, and jobbers pay no more than $3 50@4 ₱ dozen for cock-main lots

CHEESE—We note no change in quotations. Prices are firm and are freely paid by buyers. The receipts during the week have been small

WOOL—Very little is doing, as last year's clip is all out of hands. Some speculations concerning the prices to rule the coming season are being made, but nearly all agree that the prices will rule at a figure quite encouraging to growers. Nominal quotations are furnished at 25@35c ₱ lb.

Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 13.—Flour—Market quiet at $5 75@6 for best extra in jobbing lots.

Wheat—Shippers offer only $1 85@1 97½

Barley—2,200 sks bay $1 30; 300 sks bay 1 27½.

Oats—$2@2 20 for feed.

Hay—Choice wheat commands $22a23; other kinds 14 @20.

Potatoes—350 sks Burbeg and Petaluma, 70c@75c; 300 sks Humboldt, 55@1 00.

Shipping Intelligence.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—Sailed—Schr Ellanral, Coos Bay; schr Oregonian, Astoria.

Arrived—Bushing, Wave, Tacoma; schr Parallel, Coos Bay

Sailed—British ships Cartwald, Monmouthshire, and bark Brenos for Liverpool.

General Memoranda.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS—Plows — Moline, 10 to 14 inch cut, $10@17 50; Peoria, 10 to 14 inch cut, $11@15 00; Collin's H 12 and C 3, $19; Collin's Cast Cast-steel, $18 50@20 Grain Drills—Buckeye, 0 and 10-hoe, $120@125, do with broad cast attachment, $5 extra. Cultivators—Two-horse, 6 tooth, $22. Buckeye broadcast Seeder and Cultivator, $21 @. Cider Mills—Buckeye, two tube, Junior, $30@32 50; do Senior, $56@66; Hutchinson's $27 50. Farm Wagons—$145@190. Harrow teeth, 12c ₱ lb

BOOTS AND SHOES—Mens' J. K. & Co's B. B. B. extra French calf, quilted or plain, 8 to 10 soles, $72@75, J. K. & Co Milford Standard's calf or peg last top boots, $60; Portland made French calf and kip boots, $72@75; Portland made kip and calf boots, $60; our granite kip, $54; Webfoot, $3@$4. Boys Roots—J. K. & Co. B. B. B. extra French calf kip or calf boots, $54 @54; our favorite calf, $42@45; kip and calf $36@39; Nash's calf pegs, $21@30. Ladies—Kid fox velvet top balls $27@30; kid seal vamp balls, $24@27; kid full seal balls $33@33, Portland made calf balls, $24; San Francisco calf balls, $22@26; calf buff balls, $10@30; Misses and Children's balls, correspondingly low and lower grades at very much lower quotations.

BAGS AND BAGGING—Quotable for standard size, 19@20c as per quality and quantity; Flour Sacks, 11½c; Burlap, per yard, 14@15c.

CANNED GOODS—Oysters $3 50@4; Jams and Jellies $4 50; Los Angeles Honey, $4 50; Strawberries, $4 50; Raspberries, $4 75; Blackberries $4 00; Pine Apple, $3 50; Green Gages, $3 75@4; Peaches, $4 25@4 50; Pie Fruit, $3@3 50; Green Peas, $3 50; Green Beans, $2 50; Lobsters, $3 50@3 75; Clams, $4; Green Corn, $2@3 25; Tomatoes, $2 25.

CANDLES—We quote market firm at 17@22c, full weight; light weight 16c.

CEMENT, &c.—New Jersey, 1c; Asteria, $4 50; Calcine Plaster, $5; Land Plaster, $2 50; Santa Cruz Lime, $2 75; San Juan Lime, $2 75.

COFFEE—Market well sustained at the following Jobbing prices: Costa Rica 20@21; Guatemala, 20½@21; Rio and Manilla, 20½@21c; Java, 26@27c. J. F. Jones & Co's Ground Java, 27½c; Chartres, 25c; Phœnix Premium, 26@27c.

DRUGS—Quotable in jobbing lots for Alum, bbls, 6c; borax, 18@23; Blue Vitrol, 12½@13c; Potash Granite, 11c cut, 40z, $2 25; Rosin, common, $1 bbl, $12a15, Saltpeter, kegs, 18@19c; Sulphur, 5@6 10

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DRY GOODS—Standard drills, 16@16 cts; sacoade, 13c; Sheeting, light, 11½c; medium, 12½c standard, 14@ 15½c; heavy lining, 9½c. Bleached sheeting, 14, 9@10½c, do, 36, 13½c; do, 44, 12½@20c Cotton checks, 16a20c; linen checks, 17a23c; cambrics, 10c. Cotton flannel, bleached, 11a22c; do, brown, 12½@18c. Cottonades, light, 20a25c; do, heavy, 25a35c. Denims, 16a20c. Hickory stripes, 14½a24c, Standard prints, 11c, seconds, do, 9c. Delaines, 18a20c. Ginghams, 20a30c Ticks, 25. Linseys, 20a30c Ticks, 25. Bleached Sheetings, 4-4, 20a30c Hose duck, 30c Table linen, damask, bleached, 50@$1. Diaper Linen, 30a37½c. Bagging, scamless, 32a40c Alpaca, black, 25a30c. Waterproof, $1 10a1 25. Crash 10a16c Ginghams—Domestic, 10a20c; Scotch, 22a30c. Lawns, 12a27. Percales, 20a30

FRUITS (dried) AND PRESERVES—Apples, 7a7½c, peeled, 8a8½c; Peaches, 12½a13c; Hungarian Prunes, 14c, Plums, pitless, 20a22c. Raisins, new crop, in box, $4 50; hf do, $2 50, quarter $1, eighth boxes $1, Xante Currants, 11c; Oregon do. 10a12c; Citron, Assorted, 35c; Peel—Lemon, Pacific, 11c; Eastern, 11c; Mackerel, No. 1, ½ bbl, $14 75, do No 2, $13 00; do kits, No 1, $2 25; do No 2, $2 75; Salmon, pickled, extra brands, ½ bbl, $4 50@5; bbl, $7 50@8, common brands, ½ bbls, $4 00@4 25; bbls, $6 50@7 00 Canned spiced, fresh, 2-lb cans, $3 00 per doz; 1-lb, $2 25. Sardines, qrs, $3 25; hfs, $5.

LIQUORS—Our market, jobbing prices, is quotable for Bourbon whiskies $2 25@3, Rye do $2 50@4; Domestic do $1 50@2. Brandy—French brands $16@18; California brandy $1@3. Gins—Old tom whisky $1 37½ and the advance. Gin—Holland, $3 50@6; Old Tom, $2@3 50; Rum—Penn, $3 50@5; Santa Cruz, $3 50@4 50; New England, $2@2 50; Jamaica $4@6

METALS—Market for jobbing lots for Iron—Scotch and English pig reported in San Francisco, $65; refined bar, $8 ₱ cwt; Sheet 14 to 20, 9½c; do 24 to 27, 10c. Copper—Sheathing, $5 ₱, 42c; do Yellow, 40c, do bronzed tinned, 33c; do cold, 16c Tin plate—Plates charcoal, IX per box, $19 50, do IC char, $17 50; Bending Plates, $17; Banca tin, in slabs, 32½c. Steel—English cast steel $3 ₱ lbs. Lead—Pig $7 ₱ 100; Sheet 7½c; Pipe 12. Bar 12@12½c Zinc—Sheets $9 ₱ 14c. Babbit metal, 30@40. Quicksilver, 50c. Pressed ware has advanced 25@50 ₱c.

NAILS—Quotable 10 to 60d per keg, $3 75; 8d 25c per keg advance, 6d, 50c per keg advance; 4d and 5d, 75c per keg advance; cut spikes, 50c per keg advance on the price of 10d; fence, 25c per keg advance on same size of common nails; finishing and brads, 50c per keg advance on same size of common nails; box nails 50c per keg advance on same size common nails.

NUTS—Almonds, 25@30c; Brazil, 20c; Filberts, 20c; Hickory, 20c; Peanut, 10c; Pecan, 28c; Walnuts, 15c.

OILS—We quote our market in jobbing lots for—Devoe's, 50cls; Downer's, 60@65c; Standard, 50c, crystaline (legal test), 50c; Lucine (2-gallon cans) 65c; Gaslight, 60@65c; China Nut, 92½@97c; Lard, in cases, extra, $1 25; No 1, $1 10; in barrels, extra, $1 10; No. 1, $1; Castor, $1 75@1 80; Machine, 35c@$1 15; Linseed, $1 15@1 20 for Salem.

PAINTS—We quote market in jobbing lots for Averill's chemical pure ₱ gal, $2 75; Atlantic, 13½@14; Bartlett, 11 @12; North River, 11; Greenback, 10½; French zinc white, 16; Devoe's zinc white, 12; Lampblack, Eddy's, 50 @60; Germantown, 45@60, ordinary, 25@30; Venetian red, 6@8; Glover Ochre, 5@7; red lead, 12½@13; Litharge, 12½@14; dry red, 9@10 cents.

RICE—Chilo, 7¼@8c; Patna, 8c; Island, 10c; Carolina, 12½c.

ROPE—Market firm at 20c ₱ lb in jobbing lots.

SALT—Ground Rock, $17 ₱ ton; Carmen Island, $20 @21; Liverpool coarse, $25; fine, $30@37 50.

SALERATUS—Barton's, 8¾@9c; Donnelly's, 8½@9c; Babbitt's, 10@10½c.

SPICES—Pepper and Allspice, in grain 25c; Cinnamon 45@50; Cloves, 25@30c; Nutmegs, $1 20@1 25. Spices in glass—Pepper, Ginger and Allspice, $1 60 ₱ doz; Cinnamon, 75; Mustard $1 75.

SUGARS—The market to-day is weak for Island at 8 @10½c; Yellow and Golden C, to bbls, 11@ 11¾c; in hhf bbls ¼c higher; Crushed, 13@13¾c in bbls; do in hhf bbls 14@14½c; Powdered 13½@13¾c

STARCH—The agents' rates, with the usual discount off to the trade are for Pearl, 9½c; pure, 12-lb boxes 10½c; 1-lb papers, 11½c; silver gloss, 6-lb boxes, 12½c; 1-lb papers, 13c; corn, 1-lb papers, 13c.

SYRUPS—The demand continues at prices ranging from, in kegs, 50@62½c; hf bbls, 40@47½c; bbls, 42½@45c.

SOAP—Quotable firm for R. Irving & Co's in jobbing lots at 7@7½c.

TEAS—Stocks on hand good, with demand dull at the following ranges: young hyson, 90c@$1 20; per lb; black, 50c@90c per lb; Japan, in papers, 60@62per lb; lacquered box, 65c to 80c.

TURPENTINE—Quotable at $1 10@1 20 ₱ gal.

OREGON WOOLEN GOODS—We quote agents' rates as follows (in first figure per lb): Flannels for Blankets (Facility) A, 67c; B, 63c 6b; C, $1 1 60; E, $1 0 26; F, $0 96; G, $0 86; other descriptions 4 pt Grey, $8 00@8 25; 3 pt $7 00@7 25; 2 pt black border Grey, $6 00@6 75; 4 pt Vienna, $11@11 25; 3 pt, $8 50@8 75; 4 pt scarlet, $12 50 @13; 3 pt, $9 50@9 75; 4 pt Green, $10 00@10 50; 3 pt $8@8 25; 4 pt Blue, $10 50@10 75; 3 pt, $8@8 25; No. 2 Indian, $9a9 25. Flannel Clothing for 10 dozen (first figures for regular and last for extra sizes): Grey Overshirts, $21 ₱ dozen; Grey Undershirting; $10; White Undershirting, $12@14; Scarlet Undershirting, $22@26; Fancy Cashmere Overshirts, extra size, $32@36 ₱ doz; Fancy Check Overshirts, $25 00. Flannels, per yard, blue twilled twilled, 50@60c; Scarlet, 55@65c; White, 45@50; Fancy Plaid, 57½@60c; pink colored, 45@50c; plain colored, 45c. Honey Comb, per yard: plain, $2 25; fancy, $2 25. Cloths, per yard: Navy Blue, 4/4 1 12½; Cassimeres, $1 25@1 75; Doeskin, $1 25@2; Tweed, $1 00@1 00; Yarns, $1 37@1 75.

YEAST POWDERS—Preston & Merrill, $2@2 25; Rumford's, $2 50@2 75; James' $2 50@2 75; Donnelly's, $2 00@2 25.

Retail Family Market.

The following are the prices at which the principal articles of consumption are held by our Retail Dealers:

GREEN FRUIT.		CANNED GOODS.	
	₱ doz.		₱ doz.
Oranges, per doz.	1 00	Oysters, 2-lb cans	$3 00@3 50
Limes, per doz.	40	do 1-lb cans	2 00@2 50
Cocoanuts, each	12	Lobsters, 2-lb cans	3 75@4 50
Citron, Green, ₱ lb	20	do 1-lb cans	2 50@3 00
Pineapples, each	75c @1 00	Sardines, qr-tins	2 00@2 50
Lemons, per doz.	75a1 00	do hf-tins	1 50@2 00
Peaches, ₱ lb		Clams	2 25@4 00
Apples, ₱ box	75c@$1 00	Green corn, 2 lb cans	2 00@2 50
Plums, ₱ lb		do 3 lb cans	2 50@3 00
		Peas, 2lb cans	2 00@2 50
DRIED FRUIT.		" Beans, 2lb cans	2 50@3 00
	₱ lb.	Tomatoes, 2lb cans	2 50@3 00
Figs, Cal.	16a20	Peaches, 2½lb cans	2 00@2 50
Figs, Asia Min., new	20a22	Pine apples, 2lb cans	2 25@2 50
Figs, " old	20a25	Strawberries, "	2 00@2 50
Apples	10	Blackberries, "	2 00@2 50
Plums, pitless	20a25	Apricots, 2lb cans	2 50@3 00
Prunes, Ger. & French	22a25	Jellies, in tins	2 00@2 50
Pears	6a10	Jams, in tins	2 00@2 50
Bananas, ₱ doz	$1 00	Mushrooms, ₱ doz	1 50
GROCERIES.		SAUCES, ETC.	
	₱ lb.		₱ doz. pts. qts.
Coffee, ground	20a27	Worcester Sauce	0 90@1 00
do green	22a25	Catsup, Tomato	2 50@3 00
do " Rio	20	do Mushroom	4 50@6 00
do " Java	30a33	Capers	4 50@6 00
do Mocha	60	Curry Powders	5 50@6 00
Sugar, crushed	13	Mustard, French	2 75@3 25
do pulverized	13	do Cal	1 75@2 25
do granulated	13	Pickles, English, pts	0 10
do Yellow	11	" " qts	2 00
do Island No. 1	13a14		
do " No. 2	9a10	NUTS.	
Milk, condensed	37		₱ lb.
Candles, adamantine	20a22	Almonds	30a40
do Farallone	33a37	Walnuts	20a25
do Sperm	62	Brazils	25a30
Oil, Kerosene ₱ gal	75	Filberts	20a30
Syrup, Golden, ₱ gal	70	Peanuts	10a20
Tea—	₱ lb.	Pecan	25a30
Gunpowder	$1 25a1 50	Chestnuts	25
Imperial	1 25a1 50	Hickory	25
Young Hyson	1 30a1 50	CAKE.	
Hyson	90a1 25		
Eng. Breakfast	90a1 25		
Japan	75a 90		pair.
PROVISIONS, ETC.		Ducks	62½ 75
	₱ lb.	Geese	1 50
Butter—Family	60	Swan	2 00
Good	45a45	Brant	75
Ordinary	25a30	Pheasants	62
Cooking	20	Venison, ₱ D	10a 12
Cheese, California	25		
do Eastern	25	FISH.	
do Oregon	25		₱ lb.
Hams, country	18	Eastern Cod	15
do city	20a22	Pacific Cod	8a12
do Sugar-cured	22a25	Sturgeon	6
Shoulders	11a13	Salmon	8a 10
Bacon, Clear Sides	10a13	Desiccated Cod	20
do Breakfast	14a18	Mackerel, ₱ kit	2 50a3 50
Lard—		Fresh Oysters ₱ 100	75
Pure Leaf, in tins	17a18	VEGETABLES.	
Good, in tins	15		₱ lb
In bulk